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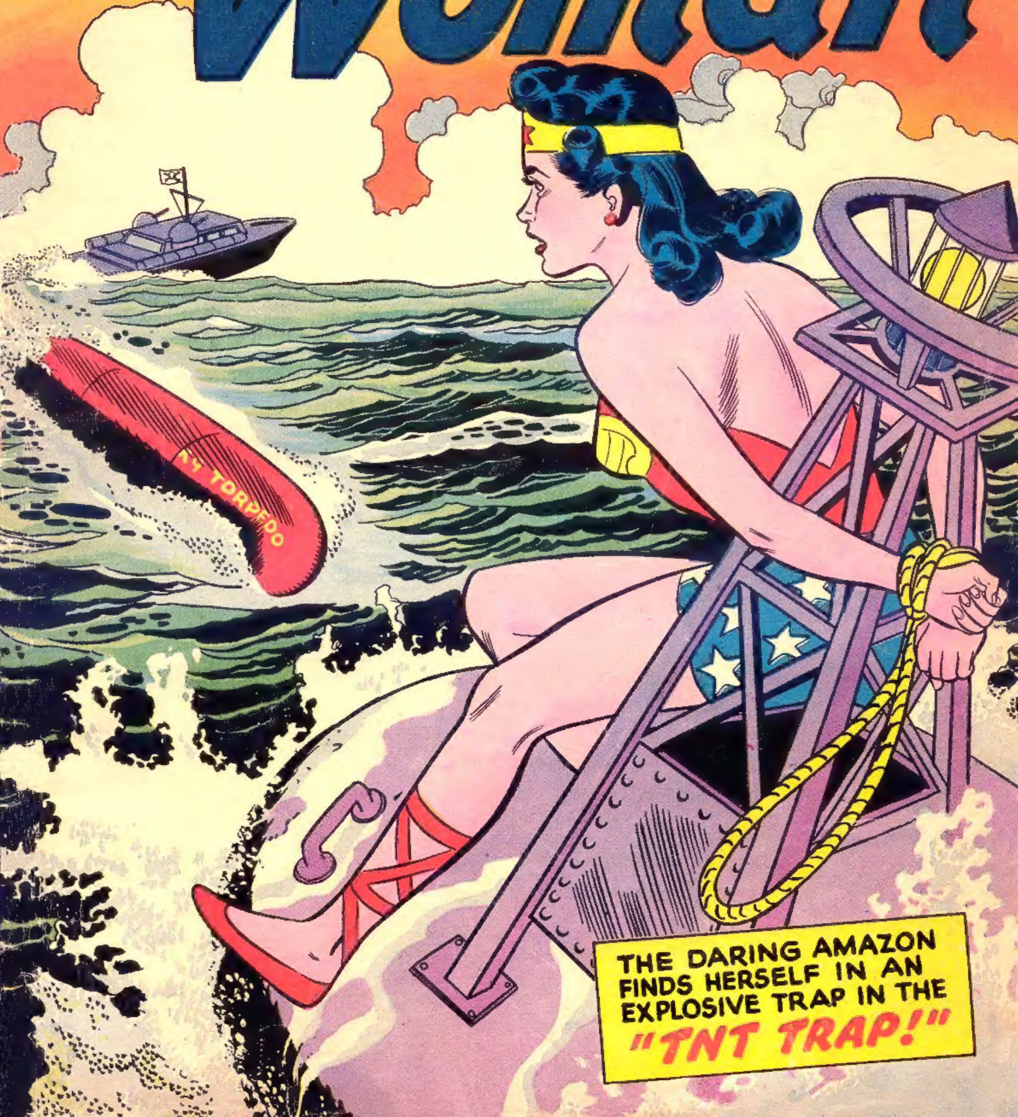

THE DARING AMAZON FINDS HERSELF IN AN EXPLOSIVE TRAP IN THE

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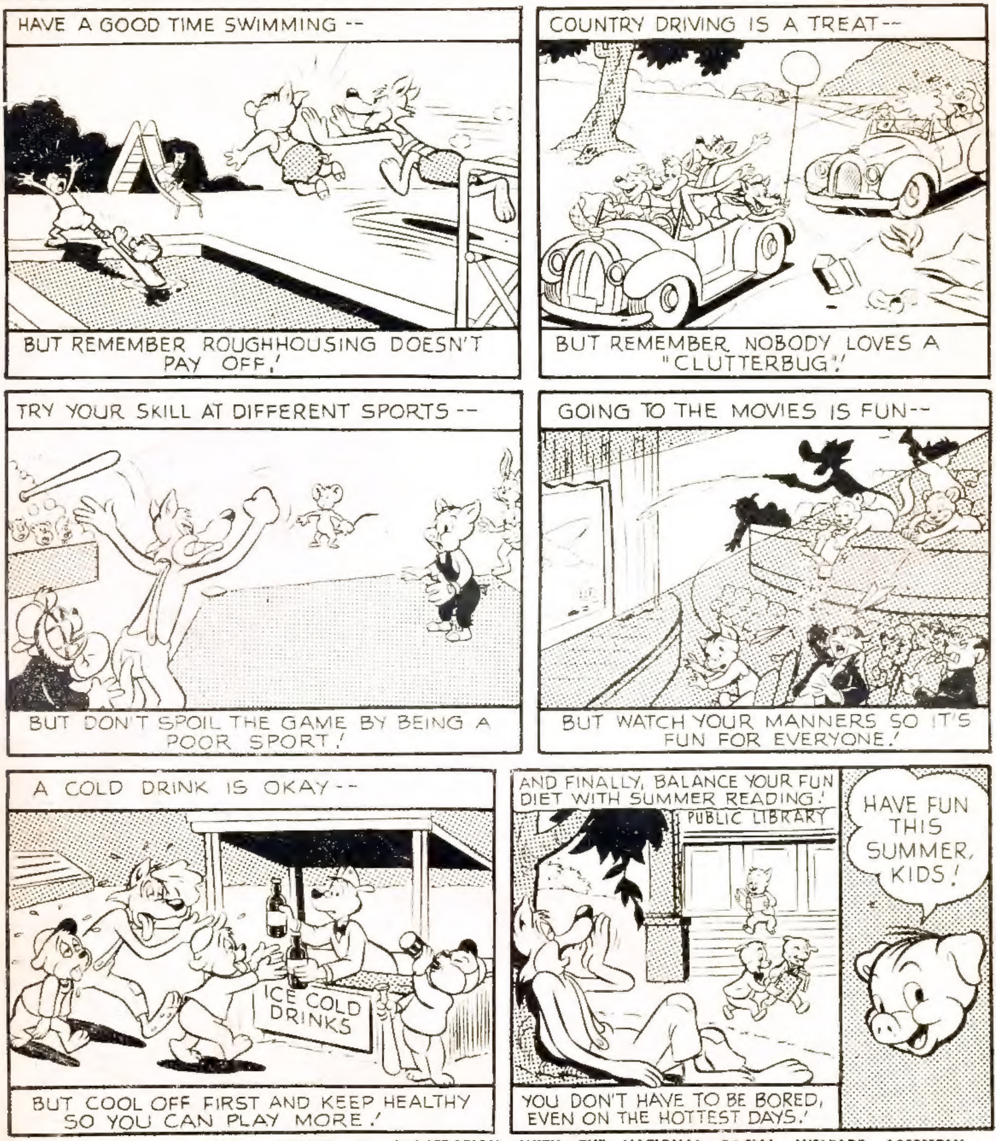
PETER PORKCHOPS *gives* TIPS ON SUMMER FUN!


HAVE A GOOD TIME SWIMMING --
BUT REMEMBER ROUGHHOUSING DOESN'T PAY OFF!
COUNTRY DRIVING IS A TREAT--
BUT REMEMBER NOBODY LOVES A "CLUTTERBUG"!
TRY YOUR SKILL AT DIFFERENT SPORTS --
BUT DON'T SPOIL THE GAME BY BEING A POOR SPORT!
GOING TO THE MOVIES IS FUN--
BUT WATCH YOUR MANNERS SO IT'S FUN FOR EVERYONE!
A COLD DRINK IS OKAY --
ICE COLD DRINKS
BUT COOL OFF FIRST AND KEEP HEALTHY SO YOU CAN PLAY MORE!
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YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE BORED, EVEN ON THE HOTTEST DAYS!
HAVE FUN THIS SUMMER, KIDS!

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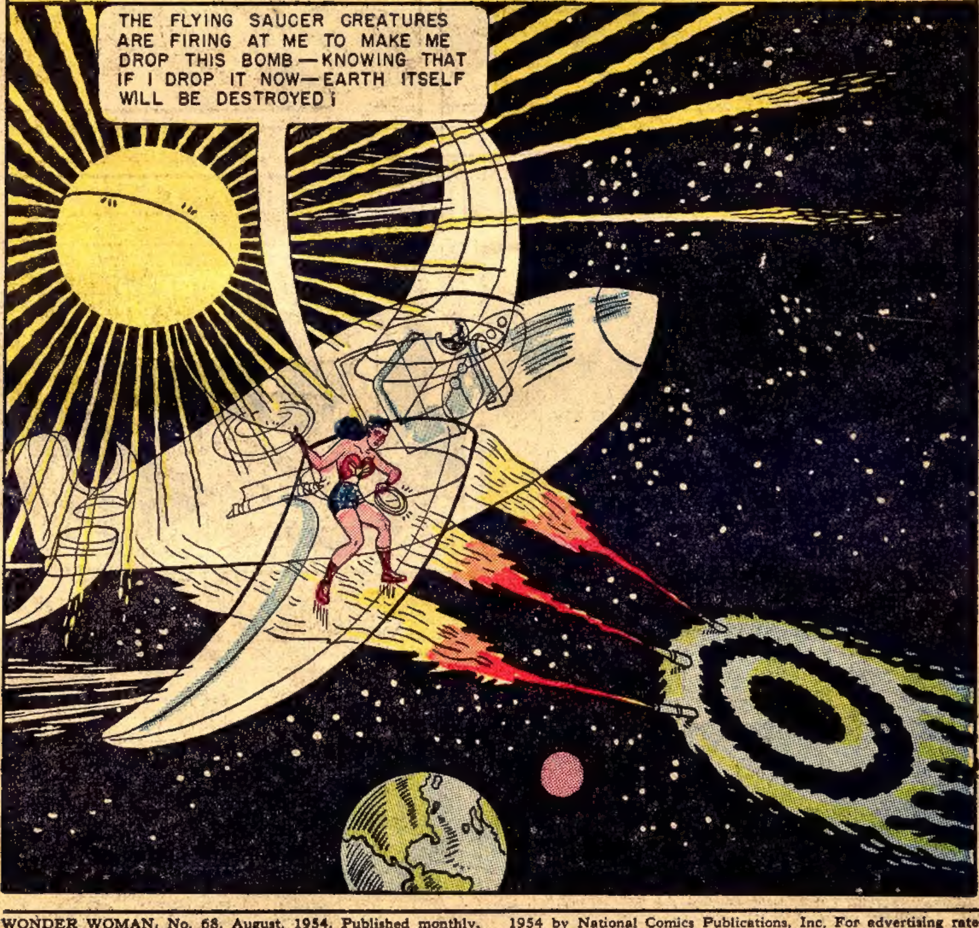
By CHARLES MOULTON

A MILLION CONFLICTING REPORTS HAVE COME IN ABOUT THE STRANGE FLYING OBJECTS DESCRIBED AS "FLYING SAUCERS"! ARE THEY REAL—OR FIGMENTS OF THE IMAGINATION? AN OPTICAL ILLUSION—OR HOSTILE CREATURES? NOW, FOR THE FIRST TIME, **WONDER WOMAN**—BEAUTIFUL AS APHRODITE, WISE AS ATHENA, SWIFTER THAN MERCURY, AND STRONGER THAN HERCULES—TELLS THE ASTONISHING STORY OF THE ------

"LANDING OF THE FLYING SAUCERS!"


THE FLYING SAUCER CREATURES ARE FIRING AT ME TO MAKE ME DROP THIS BOMB—KNOWING THAT IF I DROP IT NOW—EARTH ITSELF WILL BE DESTROYED!

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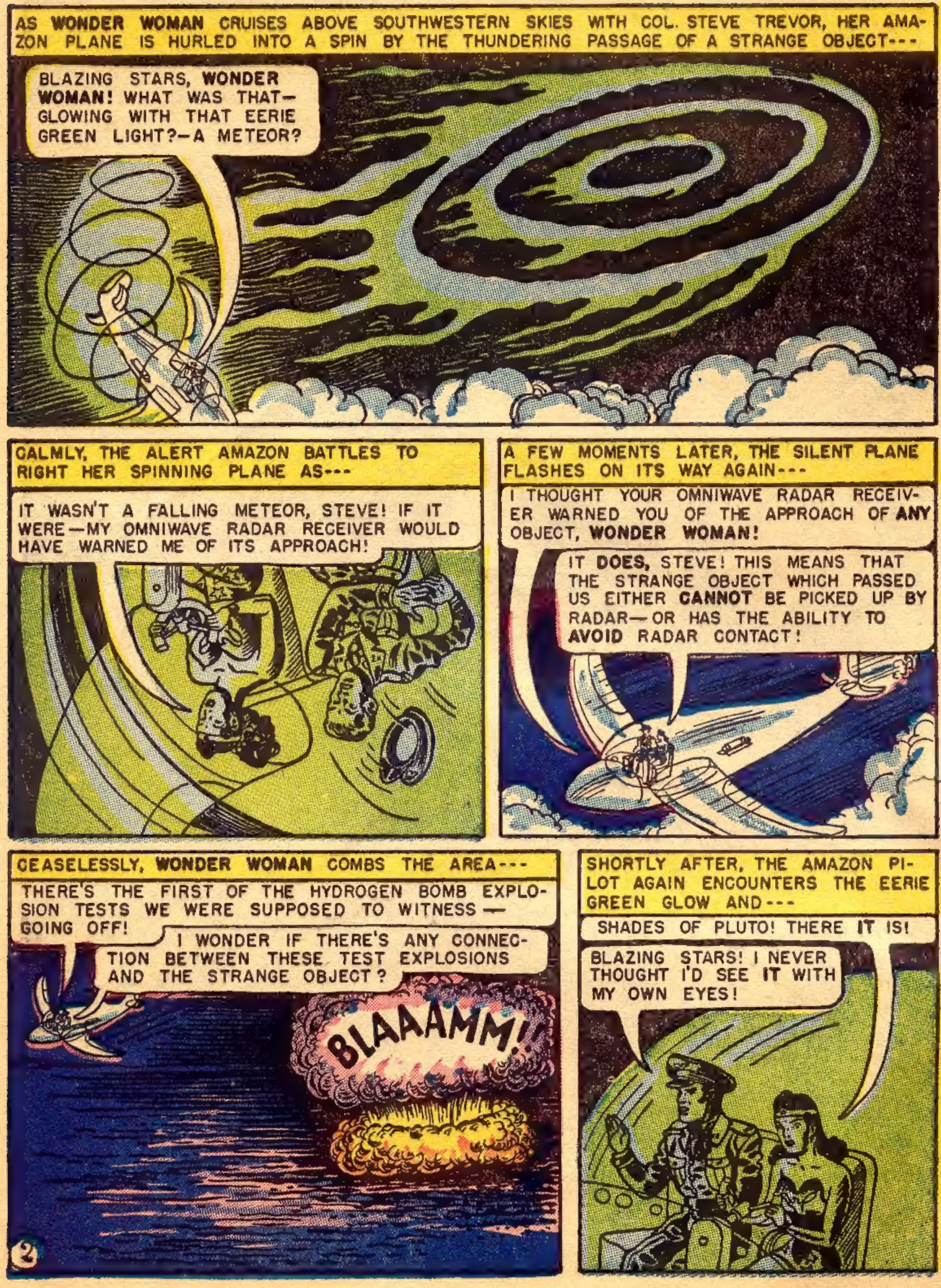
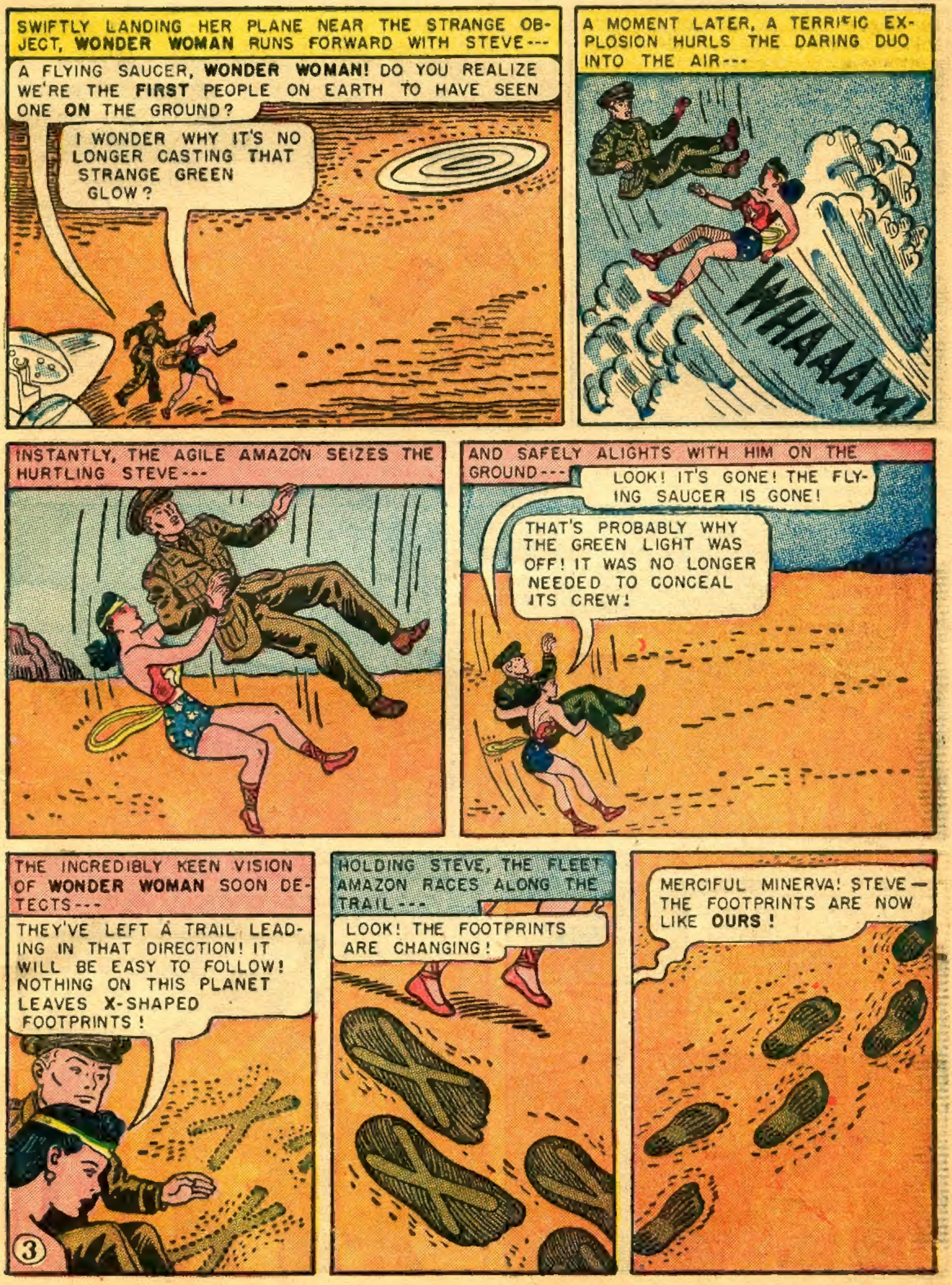

AS WONDER WOMAN CRUISES ABOVE SOUTHWESTERN SKIES WITH COL. STEVE TREVOR, HER AMAZON PLANE IS HURLED INTO A SPIN BY THE THUNDERING PASSAGE OF A STRANGE OBJECT---
BLAZING STARS, WONDER WOMAN! WHAT WAS THAT—GLOWING WITH THAT EERIE GREEN LIGHT?—A METEOR?
CALMLY, THE ALERT AMAZON BATTLES TO RIGHT HER SPINNING PLANE AS---
IT WASN'T A FALLING METEOR, STEVE! IF IT WERE—MY OMNIWAVE RADAR RECEIVER WOULD HAVE WARNED ME OF ITS APPROACH!
A FEW MOMENTS LATER, THE SILENT PLANE FLASHES ON ITS WAY AGAIN---
I THOUGHT YOUR OMNIWAVE RADAR RECEIVER WARNED YOU OF THE APPROACH OF ANY OBJECT, WONDER WOMAN!
IT DOES, STEVE! THIS MEANS THAT THE STRANGE OBJECT WHICH PASSED US EITHER CANNOT BE PICKED UP BY RADAR—OR HAS THE ABILITY TO AVOID RADAR CONTACT!
CEASELESSLY, WONDER WOMAN COMBS THE AREA---
THERE'S THE FIRST OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB EXPLOSION TESTS WE WERE SUPPOSED TO WITNESS — GOING OFF!
I WONDER IF THERE'S ANY CONNECTION BETWEEN THESE TEST EXPLOSIONS AND THE STRANGE OBJECT?
BLAAAMM!
SHORTLY AFTER, THE AMAZON PILOT AGAIN ENCOUNTERS THE EERIE GREEN GLOW AND---
SHADES OF PLUTO! THERE IT IS!
BLAZING STARS! I NEVER THOUGHT I'D SEE IT WITH MY OWN EYES!


SWIFTLY LANDING HER PLANE NEAR THE STRANGE OBJECT, WONDER WOMAN RUNS FORWARD WITH STEVE---
A FLYING SAUCER, WONDER WOMAN! DO YOU REALIZE WE'RE THE FIRST PEOPLE ON EARTH TO HAVE SEEN ONE ON THE GROUND?
I WONDER WHY IT'S NO LONGER CASTING THAT STRANGE GREEN GLOW?
A MOMENT LATER, A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION HURLS THE DARING DUO INTO THE AIR---
WHAAAAM!
INSTANTLY, THE AGILE AMAZON SEIZES THE HURTLING STEVE---
AND SAFELY ALIGHTS WITH HIM ON THE GROUND---
LOOK! IT'S GONE! THE FLYING SAUCER IS GONE!
THAT'S PROBABLY WHY THE GREEN LIGHT WAS OFF! IT WAS NO LONGER NEEDED TO CONCEAL ITS CREW!
THE INCREDIBLY KEEN VISION OF WONDER WOMAN SOON DETECTS---
THEY'VE LEFT A TRAIL LEADING IN THAT DIRECTION! IT WILL BE EASY TO FOLLOW! NOTHING ON THIS PLANET LEAVES X-SHAPED FOOTPRINTS!
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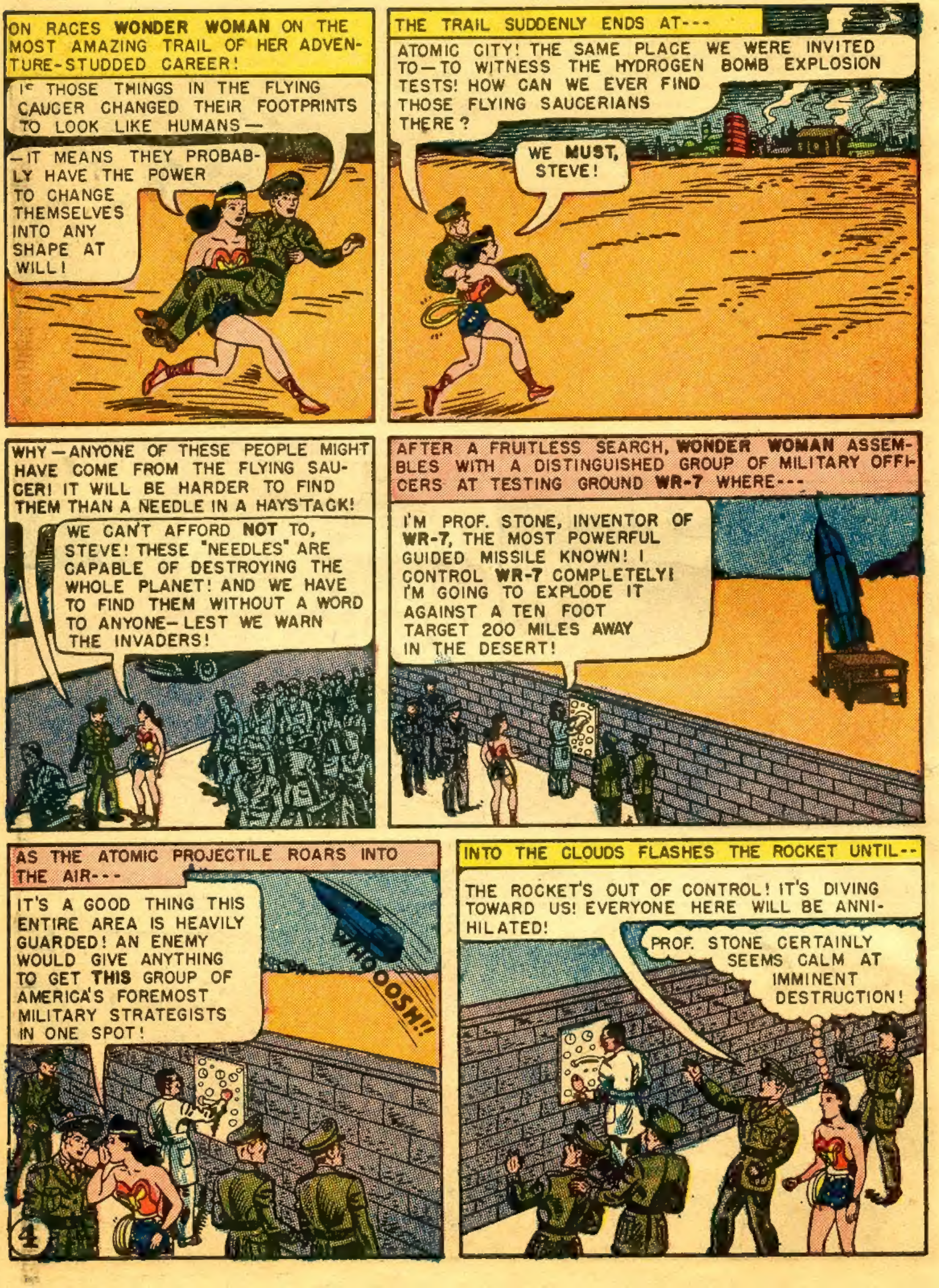
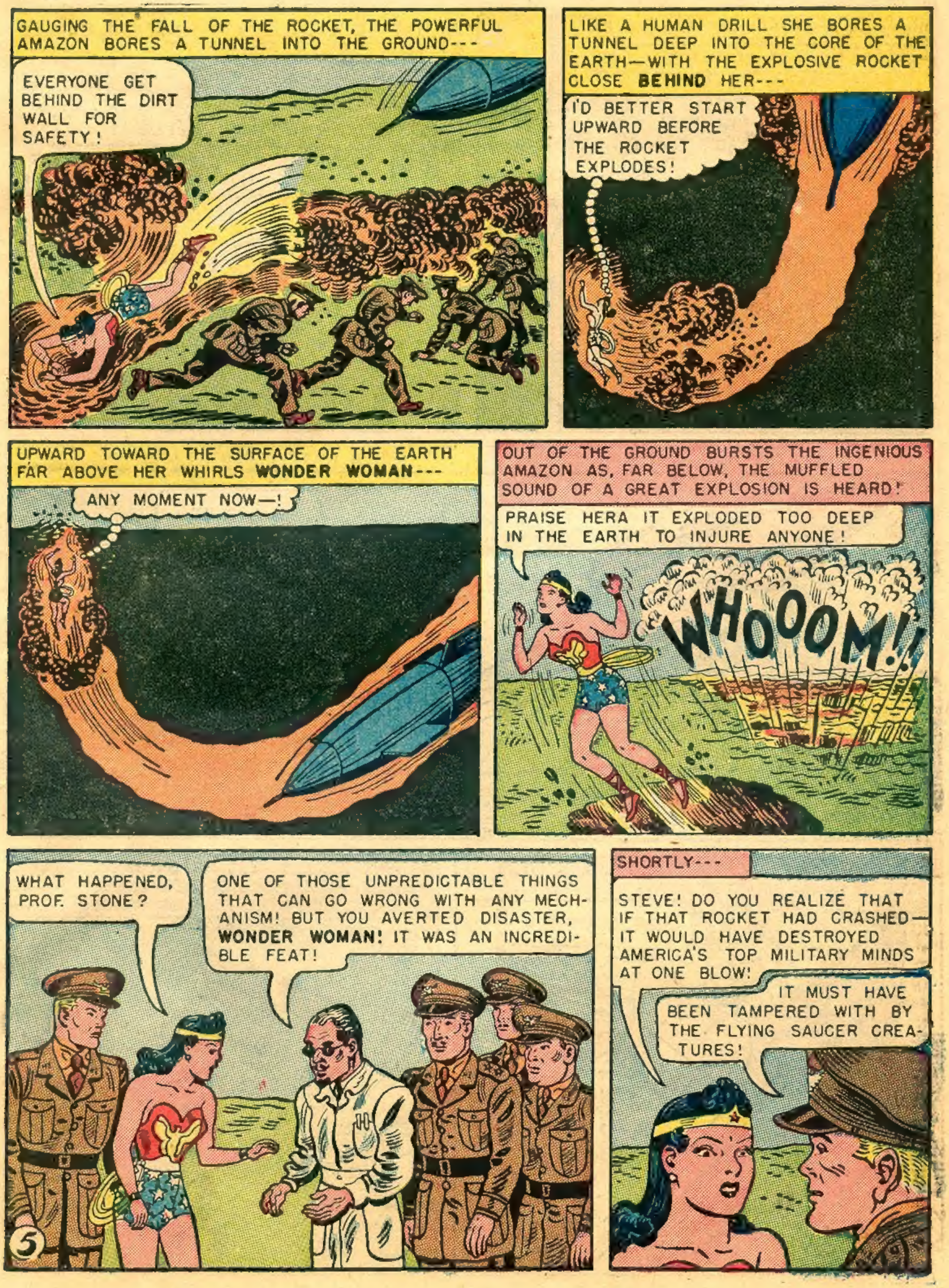
HOLDING STEVE, THE FLEET AMAZON RACES ALONG THE TRAIL---
LOOK! THE FOOTPRINTS ARE CHANGING!
MERCIFUL MINERVA! STEVE—THE FOOTPRINTS ARE NOW LIKE OURS!


ON RACES WONDER WOMAN ON THE MOST AMAZING TRAIL OF HER ADVENTURE-STUDDED CAREER!
IF THOSE THINGS IN THE FLYING SAUCER CHANGED THEIR FOOTPRINTS TO LOOK LIKE HUMANS—
—IT MEANS THEY PROBABLY HAVE THE POWER TO CHANGE THEMSELVES INTO ANY SHAPE AT WILL!
THE TRAIL SUDDENLY ENDS AT---
ATOMIC CITY! THE SAME PLACE WE WERE INVITED TO—TO WITNESS THE HYDROGEN BOMB EXPLOSION TESTS! HOW CAN WE EVER FIND THOSE FLYING SAUCERIANS THERE?
WE MUST, STEVE!
WHY—ANYONE OF THESE PEOPLE MIGHT HAVE COME FROM THE FLYING SAUCER! IT WILL BE HARDER TO FIND THEM THAN A NEEDLE IN A HAYSTACK!
WE CAN'T AFFORD NOT TO, STEVE! THESE "NEEDLES" ARE CAPABLE OF DESTROYING THE WHOLE PLANET! AND WE HAVE TO FIND THEM WITHOUT A WORD TO ANYONE—LEST WE WARN THE INVADERS!
AFTER A FRUITLESS SEARCH, WONDER WOMAN ASSEMBLES WITH A DISTINGUISHED GROUP OF MILITARY OFFICERS AT TESTING GROUND WR-7 WHERE---
I'M PROF. STONE, INVENTOR OF WR-7, THE MOST POWERFUL GUIDED MISSILE KNOWN! I CONTROL WR-7 COMPLETELY! I'M GOING TO EXPLODE IT AGAINST A TEN FOOT TARGET 200 MILES AWAY IN THE DESERT!
AS THE ATOMIC PROJECTILE ROARS INTO THE AIR---
IT'S A GOOD THING THIS ENTIRE AREA IS HEAVILY GUARDED! AN ENEMY WOULD GIVE ANYTHING TO GET THIS GROUP OF AMERICA'S FOREMOST MILITARY STRATEGISTS IN ONE SPOT!
WHOOOSH!!
INTO THE CLOUDS FLASHES THE ROCKET UNTIL--
THE ROCKET'S OUT OF CONTROL! IT'S DIVING TOWARD US! EVERYONE HERE WILL BE ANNIHILATED!
PROF. STONE CERTAINLY SEEMS CALM AT IMMINENT DESTRUCTION!


GAUGING THE FALL OF THE ROCKET, THE POWERFUL AMAZON BORES A TUNNEL INTO THE GROUND---
EVERYONE GET BEHIND THE DIRT WALL FOR SAFETY!
LIKE A HUMAN DRILL SHE BORES A TUNNEL DEEP INTO THE CORE OF THE EARTH—WITH THE EXPLOSIVE ROCKET CLOSE **BEHIND** HER---
I'D BETTER START UPWARD BEFORE THE ROCKET EXPLODES!
UPWARD TOWARD THE SURFACE OF THE EARTH FAR ABOVE HER WHIRLS **WONDER WOMAN**---
ANY MOMENT NOW—!
OUT OF THE GROUND BURSTS THE INGENIOUS AMAZON AS, FAR BELOW, THE MUFFLED SOUND OF A GREAT EXPLOSION IS HEARD!
PRAISE HERA IT EXPLODED TOO DEEP IN THE EARTH TO INJURE ANYONE!
WHOOOM!!
WHAT HAPPENED, PROF. STONE?
ONE OF THOSE UNPREDICTABLE THINGS THAT CAN GO WRONG WITH ANY MECHANISM! BUT YOU AVERTED DISASTER, **WONDER WOMAN!** IT WAS AN INCREDIBLE FEAT!
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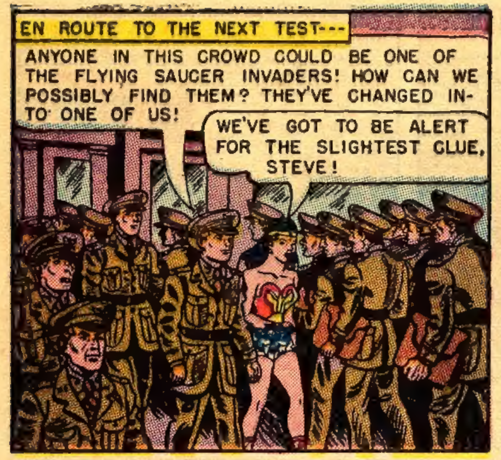
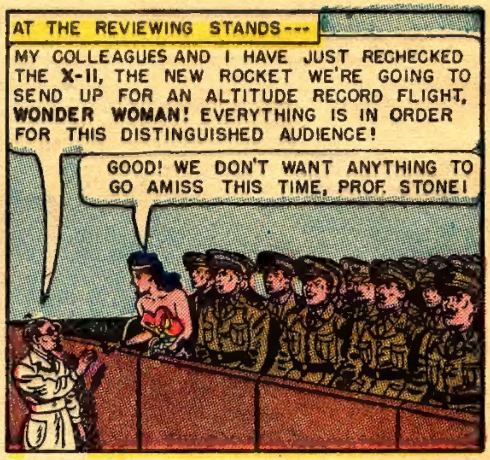
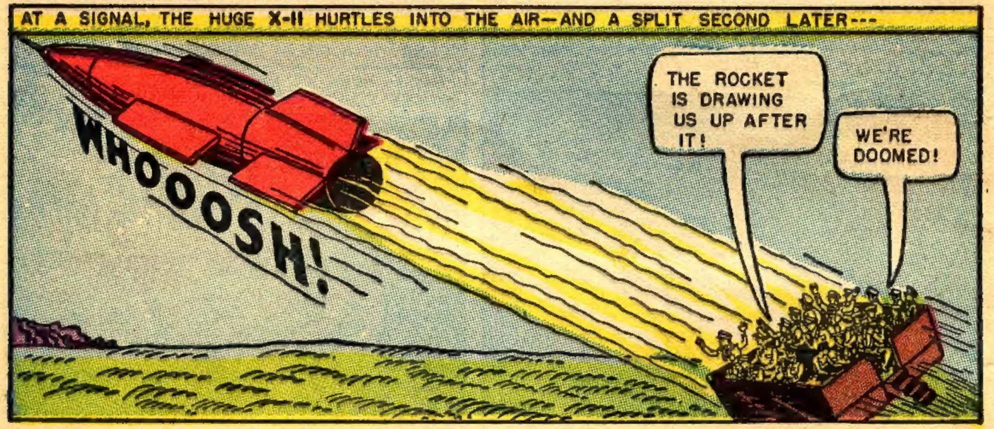
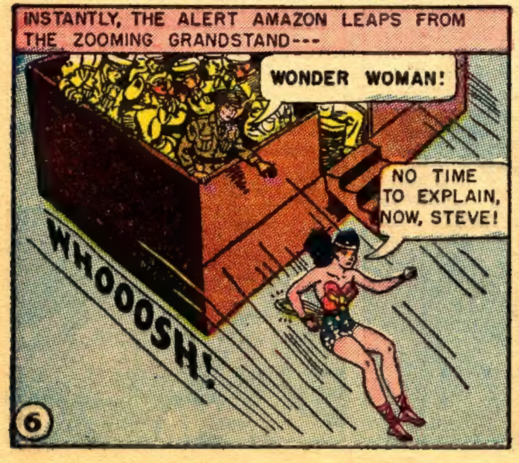
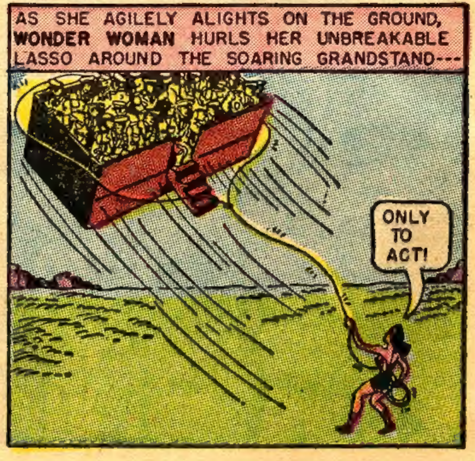
SHORTLY---
STEVE! DO YOU REALIZE THAT IF THAT ROCKET HAD CRASHED—IT WOULD HAVE DESTROYED AMERICA'S TOP MILITARY MINDS AT ONE BLOW!
IT MUST HAVE BEEN TAMPERED WITH BY THE FLYING SAUCER CREATURES!

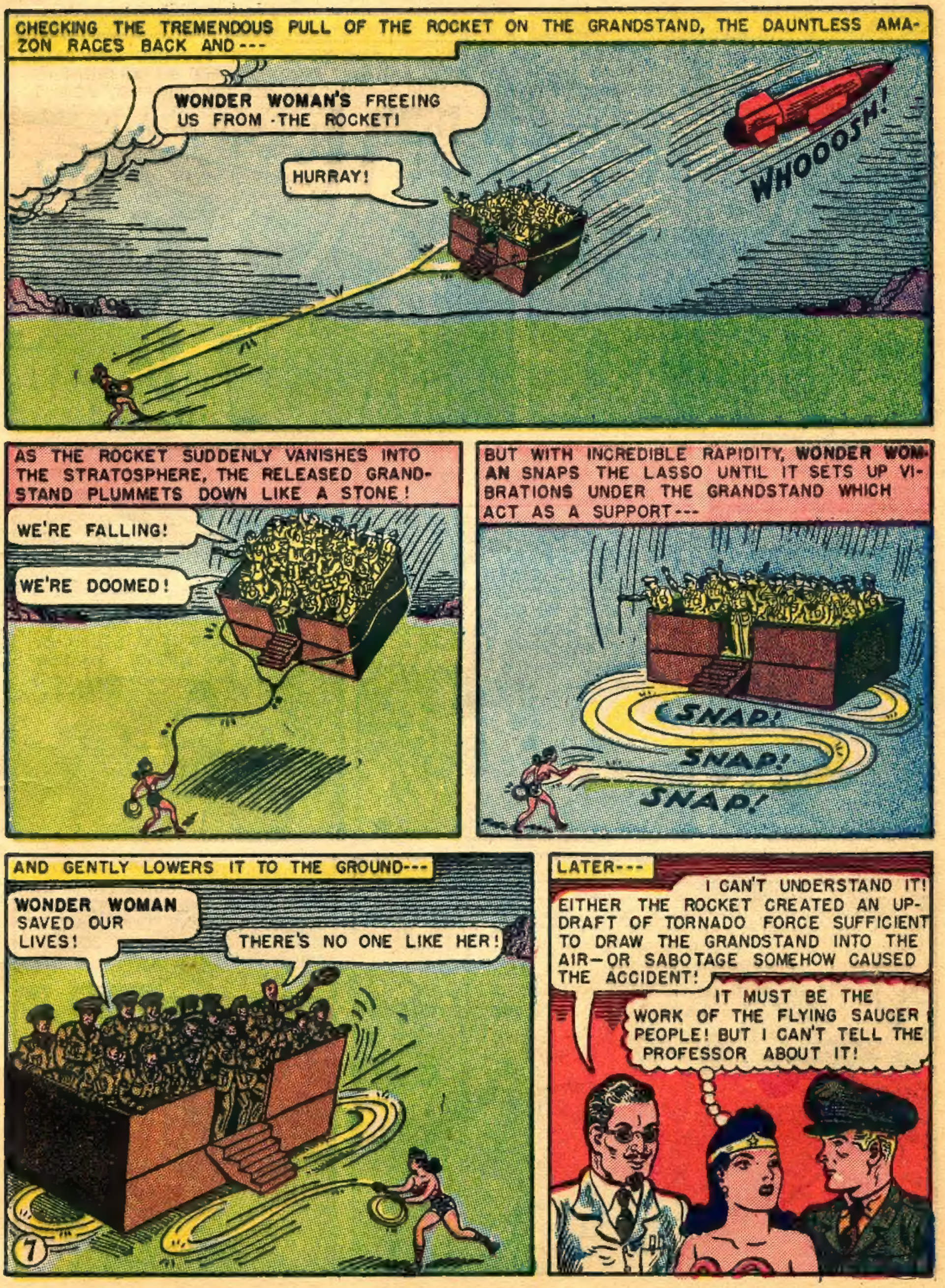

EN ROUTE TO THE NEXT TEST---
ANYONE IN THIS CROWD COULD BE ONE OF THE FLYING SAUCER INVADERS! HOW CAN WE POSSIBLY FIND THEM? THEY'VE CHANGED INTO ONE OF US!
WE'VE GOT TO BE ALERT FOR THE SLIGHTEST CLUE, STEVE!

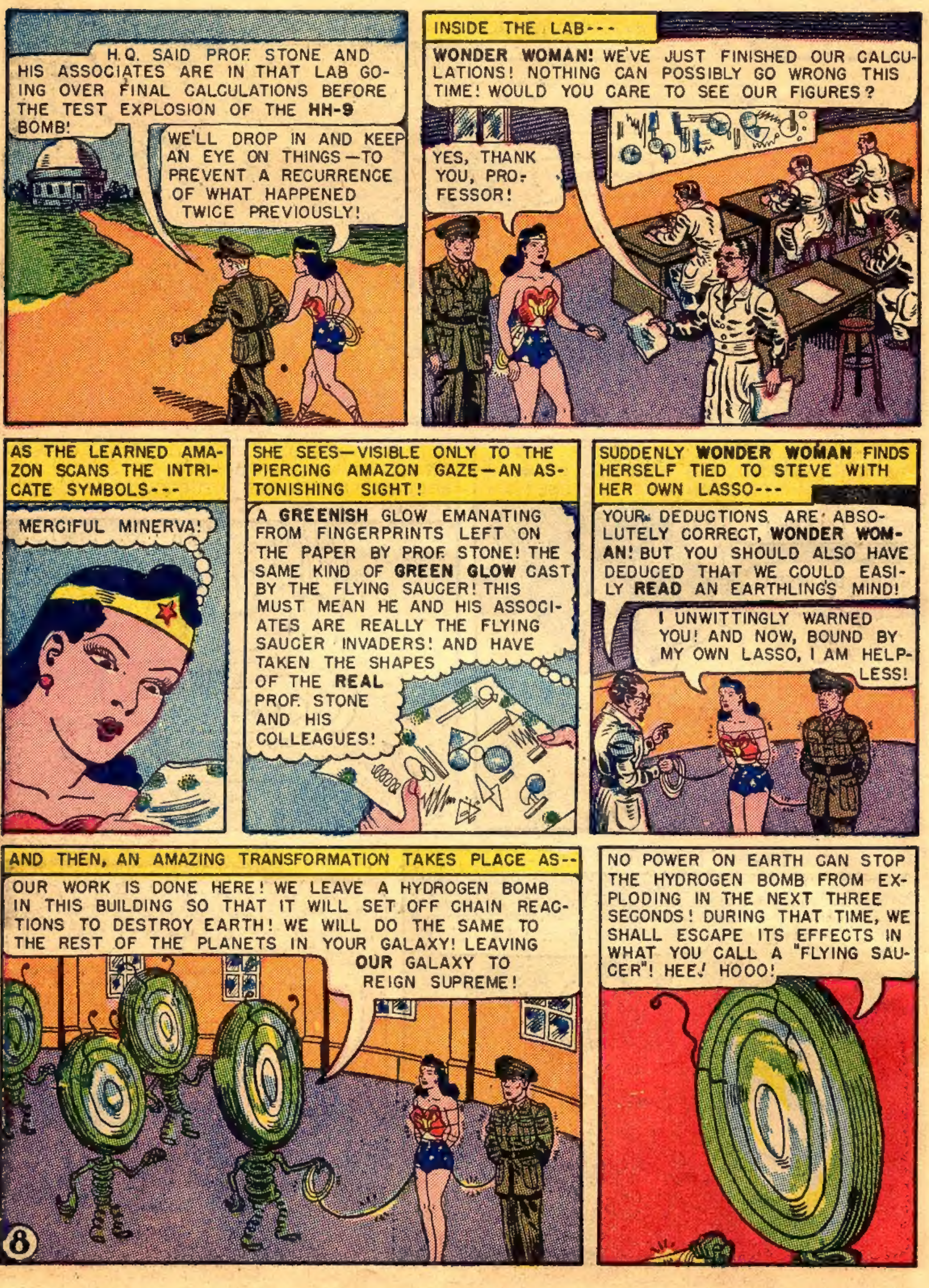

AT THE REVIEWING STANDS---
MY COLLEAGUES AND I HAVE JUST RECHECKED THE **X-II**, THE NEW ROCKET WE'RE GOING TO SEND UP FOR AN ALTITUDE RECORD FLIGHT, **WONDER WOMAN!** EVERYTHING IS IN ORDER FOR THIS DISTINGUISHED AUDIENCE!
GOOD! WE DON'T WANT ANYTHING TO GO AMISS THIS TIME, PROF. STONE!

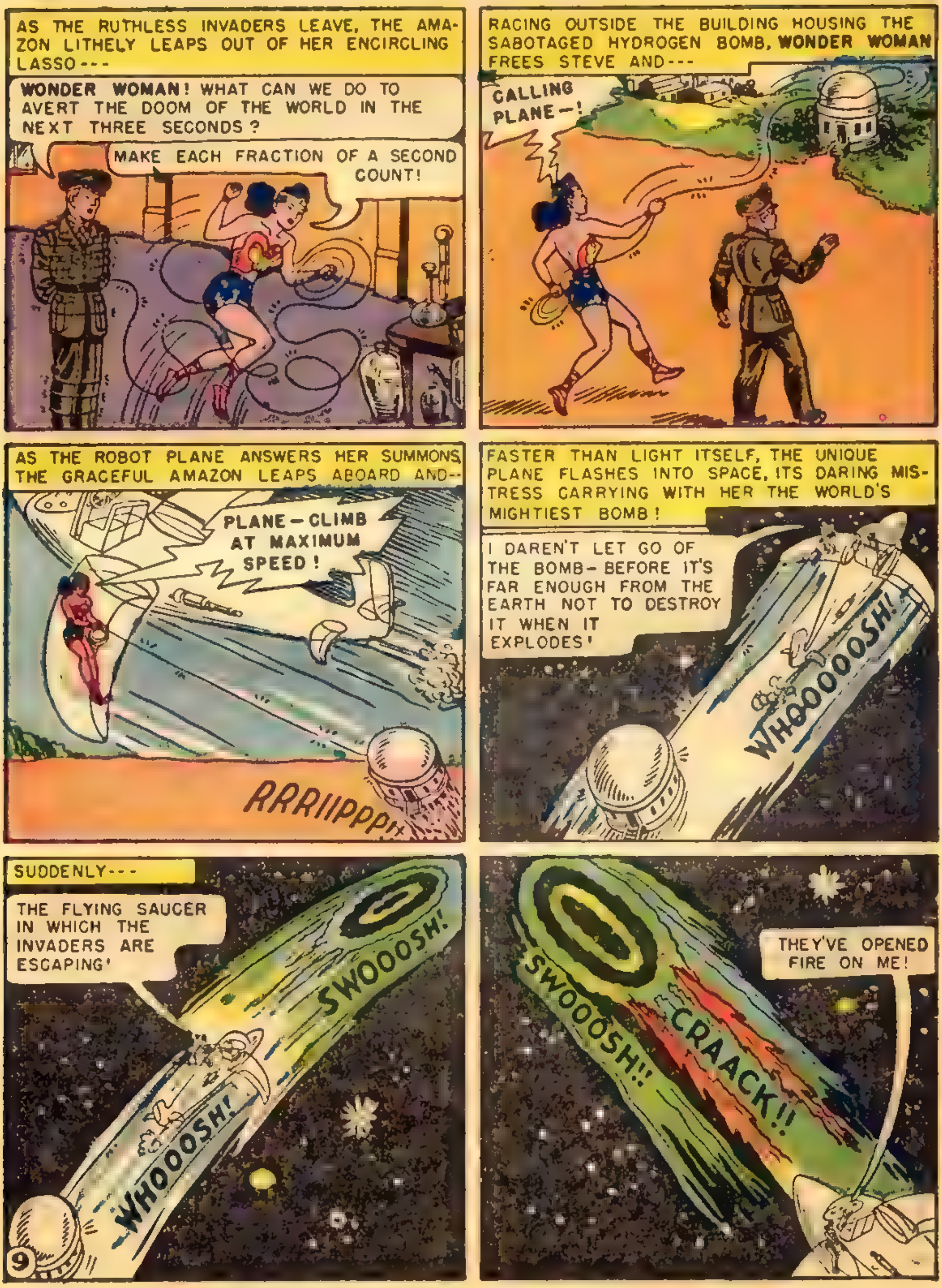

AT A SIGNAL, THE HUGE **X-II** HURTLES INTO THE AIR—AND A SPLIT SECOND LATER---
WHOOOSH!
THE ROCKET IS DRAWING US UP AFTER IT!
WE'RE DOOMED!

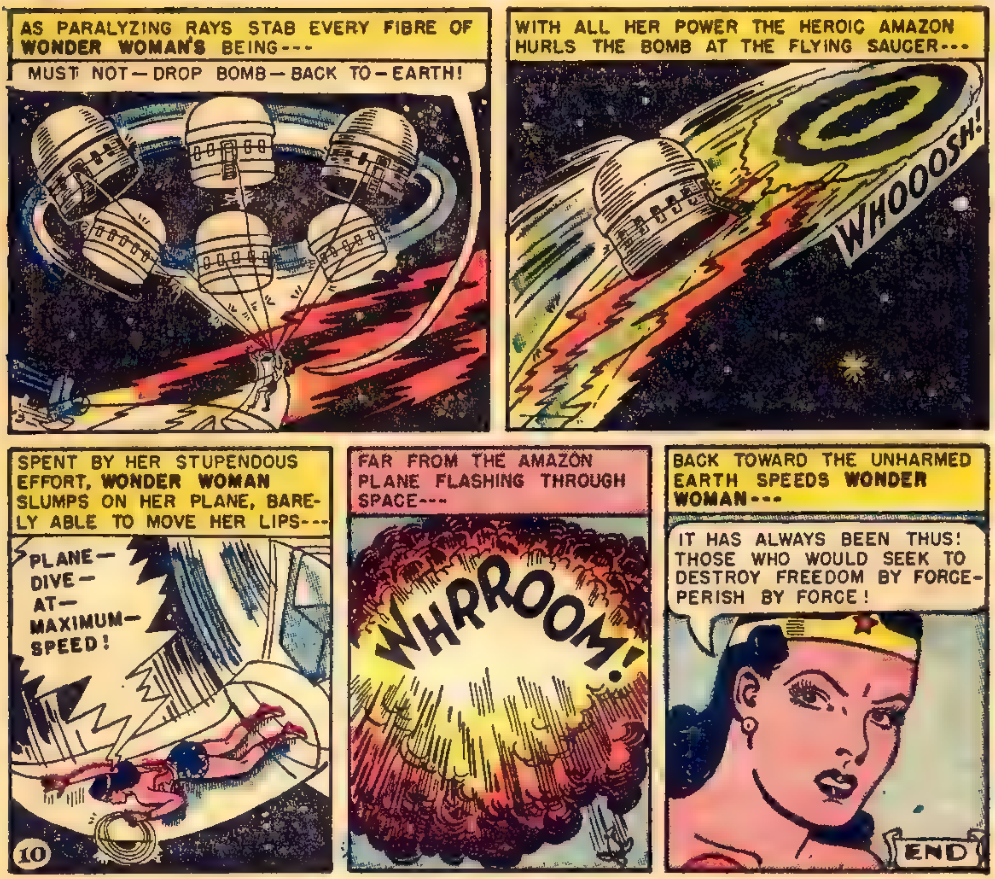

INSTANTLY, THE ALERT AMAZON LEAPS FROM THE ZOOMING GRANDSTAND---
WONDER WOMAN!
NO TIME TO EXPLAIN, NOW, STEVE!
WHOOOSH!


AS SHE AGILELY ALIGHTS ON THE GROUND, **WONDER WOMAN** HURLS HER UNBREAKABLE LASSO AROUND THE SOARING GRANDSTAND---
ONLY TO ACT!


CHECKING THE TREMENDOUS PULL OF THE ROCKET ON THE GRANDSTAND, THE DAUNTLESS AMAZON RACES BACK AND---
WONDER WOMAN'S FREEING US FROM THE ROCKET!
HURRAY!
WHOOOSH!
AS THE ROCKET SUDDENLY VANISHES INTO THE STRATOSPHERE, THE RELEASED GRANDSTAND PLUMMETS DOWN LIKE A STONE!
WE'RE FALLING!
WE'RE DOOMED!
BUT WITH INCREDIBLE RAPIDITY, **WONDER WOMAN** SNAPS THE LASSO UNTIL IT SETS UP VIBRATIONS UNDER THE GRANDSTAND WHICH ACT AS A SUPPORT---
SNAP!
SNAP!
SNAP!
AND GENTLY LOWERS IT TO THE GROUND---
WONDER WOMAN SAVED OUR LIVES!
THERE'S NO ONE LIKE HER!
LATER---
I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT! EITHER THE ROCKET CREATED AN UPDRAFT OF TORNADO FORCE SUFFICIENT TO DRAW THE GRANDSTAND INTO THE AIR—OR SABOTAGE SOMEHOW CAUSED THE ACCIDENT!
IT MUST BE THE WORK OF THE FLYING SAUCER PEOPLE! BUT I CAN'T TELL THE PROFESSOR ABOUT IT!


H.Q. SAID PROF. STONE AND HIS ASSOCIATES ARE IN THAT LAB GOING OVER FINAL CALCULATIONS BEFORE THE TEST EXPLOSION OF THE **HH-9** BOMB!
WE'LL DROP IN AND KEEP AN EYE ON THINGS—TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE OF WHAT HAPPENED TWICE PREVIOUSLY!
INSIDE THE LAB---
WONDER WOMAN! WE'VE JUST FINISHED OUR CALCULATIONS! NOTHING CAN POSSIBLY GO WRONG THIS TIME! WOULD YOU CARE TO SEE OUR FIGURES?
YES, THANK YOU, PROFESSOR!
AS THE LEARNED AMAZON SCANS THE INTRICATE SYMBOLS---
MERCIFUL MINERVA!
SHE SEES—VISIBLE ONLY TO THE PIERCING AMAZON GAZE—AN ASTONISHING SIGHT!
A **GREENISH** GLOW EMANATING FROM FINGERPRINTS LEFT ON THE PAPER BY PROF. STONE! THE SAME KIND OF **GREEN GLOW** CAST BY THE FLYING SAUCER! THIS MUST MEAN HE AND HIS ASSOCIATES ARE REALLY THE FLYING SAUCER INVADERS! AND HAVE TAKEN THE SHAPES OF THE **REAL** PROF. STONE AND HIS COLLEAGUES!
SUDDENLY **WONDER WOMAN** FINDS HERSELF TIED TO STEVE WITH HER OWN LASSO---
YOUR DEDUCTIONS ARE ABSOLUTELY CORRECT, **WONDER WOMAN!** BUT YOU SHOULD ALSO HAVE DEDUCED THAT WE COULD EASILY **READ** AN EARTHLING'S MIND!
I UNWITTINGLY WARNED YOU! AND NOW, BOUND BY MY OWN LASSO, I AM HELPLESS!
AND THEN, AN AMAZING TRANSFORMATION TAKES PLACE AS--
OUR WORK IS DONE HERE! WE LEAVE A HYDROGEN BOMB IN THIS BUILDING SO THAT IT WILL SET OFF CHAIN REACTIONS TO DESTROY EARTH! WE WILL DO THE SAME TO THE REST OF THE PLANETS IN YOUR GALAXY! LEAVING **OUR** GALAXY TO REIGN SUPREME!
NO POWER ON EARTH CAN STOP THE HYDROGEN BOMB FROM EXPLODING IN THE NEXT THREE SECONDS! DURING THAT TIME, WE SHALL ESCAPE ITS EFFECTS IN WHAT YOU CALL A "FLYING SAUCER"! HEE! HOOO!


AS THE RUTHLESS INVADERS LEAVE, THE AMAZON LITHELY LEAPS OUT OF HER ENCIRCLING LASSO---
WONDER WOMAN! WHAT CAN WE DO TO AVERT THE DOOM OF THE WORLD IN THE NEXT THREE SECONDS?
MAKE EACH FRACTION OF A SECOND COUNT!
RACING OUTSIDE THE BUILDING HOUSING THE SABOTAGED HYDROGEN BOMB, **WONDER WOMAN** FREES STEVE AND---
CALLING PLANE--!
AS THE ROBOT PLANE ANSWERS HER SUMMONS, THE GRACEFUL AMAZON LEAPS ABOARD AND--
PLANE -- CLIMB AT MAXIMUM SPEED!
RRRIIPPP!!
FASTER THAN LIGHT ITSELF, THE UNIQUE PLANE FLASHES INTO SPACE, ITS DARING MISTRESS CARRYING WITH HER THE WORLD'S MIGHTIEST BOMB!
I DAREN'T LET GO OF THE BOMB -- BEFORE IT'S FAR ENOUGH FROM THE EARTH NOT TO DESTROY IT WHEN IT EXPLODES!
WHOOOOOOSH!
SUDDENLY---
THE FLYING SAUCER IN WHICH THE INVADERS ARE ESCAPING!
SWOOOSH!
WHOOOSH!
SWOOOSH!!
CRAACK!!
THEY'VE OPENED FIRE ON ME!


AS PARALYZING RAYS STAB EVERY FIBRE OF WONDER WOMAN'S BEING---
MUST NOT—DROP BOMB—BACK TO—EARTH!
WITH ALL HER POWER THE HEROIC AMAZON HURLS THE BOMB AT THE FLYING SAUCER---
WHOOOSH!
SPENT BY HER STUPENDOUS EFFORT, WONDER WOMAN SLUMPS ON HER PLANE, BARELY ABLE TO MOVE HER LIPS---
PLANE—DIVE—AT—MAXIMUM—SPEED!
FAR FROM THE AMAZON PLANE FLASHING THROUGH SPACE---
WHRROOM!
BACK TOWARD THE UNHARMED EARTH SPEEDS WONDER WOMAN---
IT HAS ALWAYS BEEN THUS! THOSE WHO WOULD SEEK TO DESTROY FREEDOM BY FORCE—PERISH BY FORCE!
END

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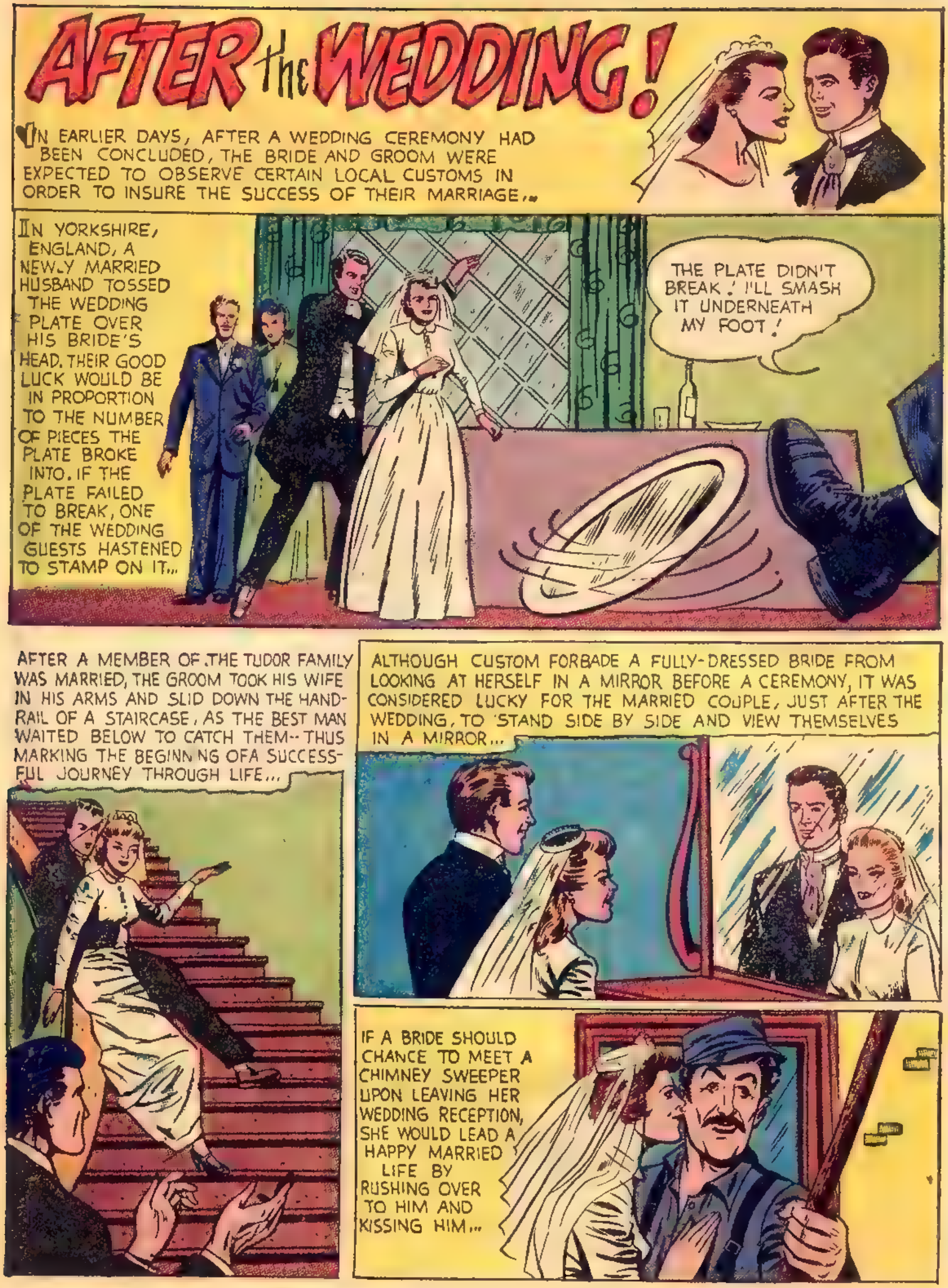

In earlier days, after a wedding ceremony had been concluded, the bride and groom were expected to observe certain local customs in order to insure the success of their marriage...

In Yorkshire, England, a newly married husband tossed the wedding plate over his bride's head. Their good luck would be in proportion to the number of pieces the plate broke into. If the plate failed to break, one of the wedding guests hastened to stamp on it...

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If a bride should chance to meet a chimney sweeper upon leaving her wedding reception, she would lead a happy married life by rushing over to him and kissing him...

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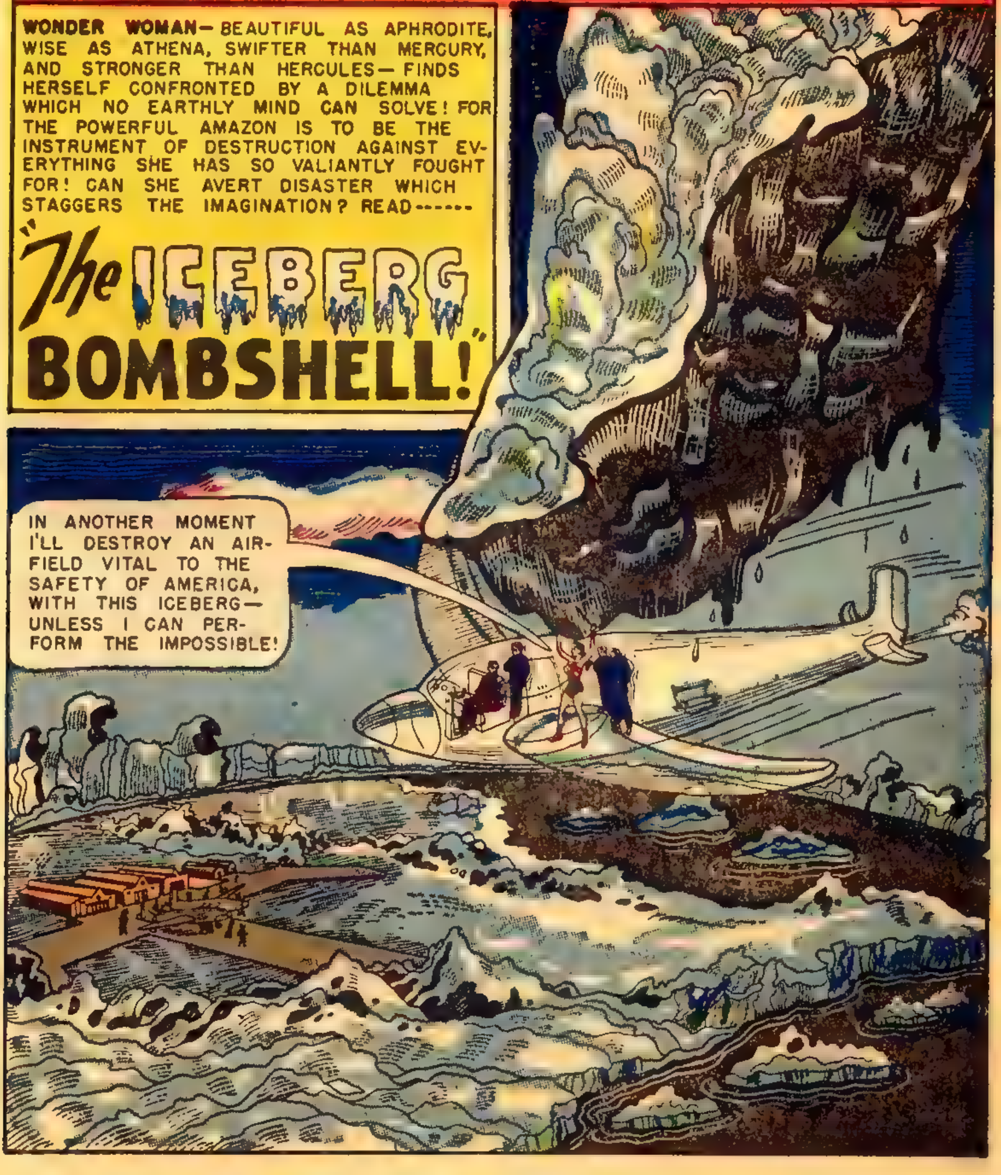
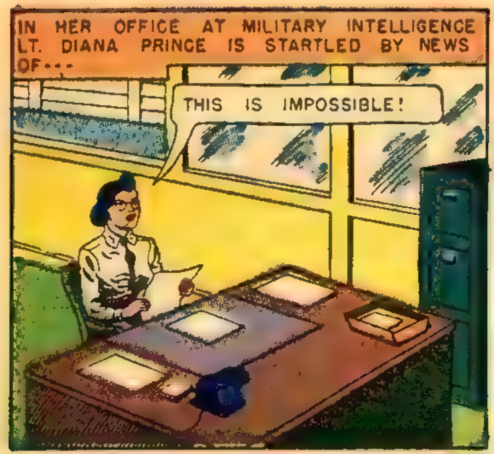
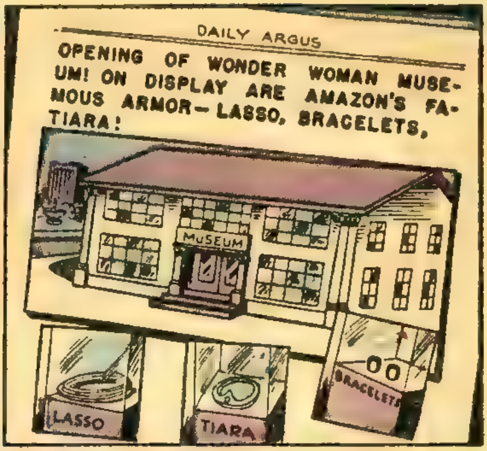
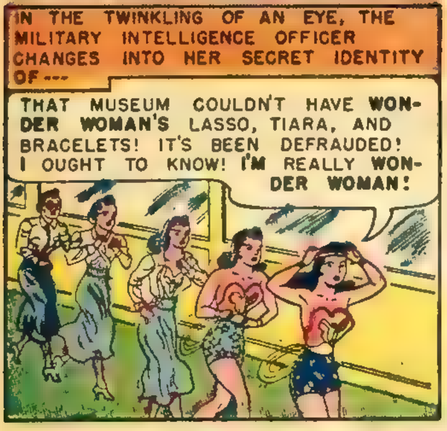
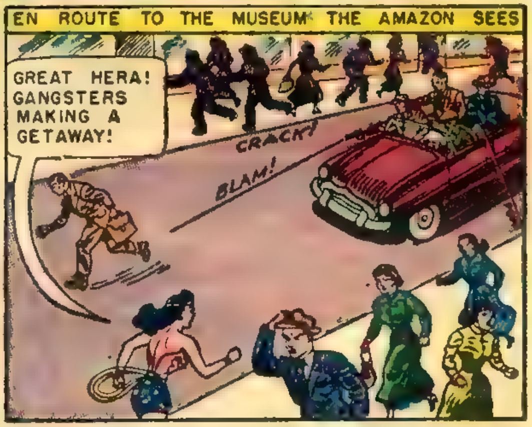
"The ICEBERG BOMBSHELL!"

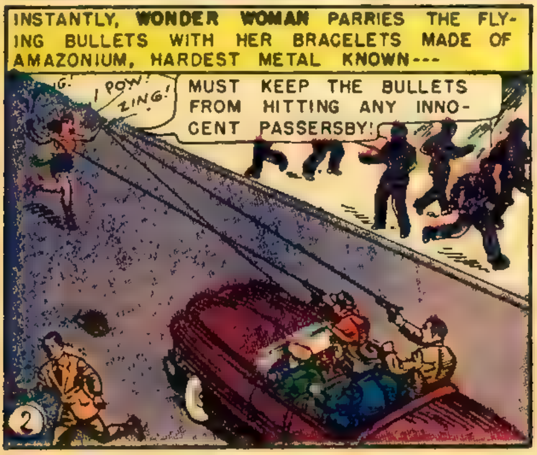

IN ANOTHER MOMENT I'LL DESTROY AN AIRFIELD VITAL TO THE SAFETY OF AMERICA, WITH THIS ICEBERG— UNLESS I CAN PERFORM THE IMPOSSIBLE!

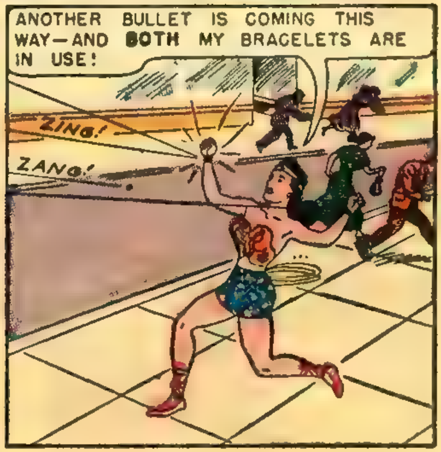

IN HER OFFICE AT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE LT. DIANA PRINCE IS STARTLED BY NEWS OF---
THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE!

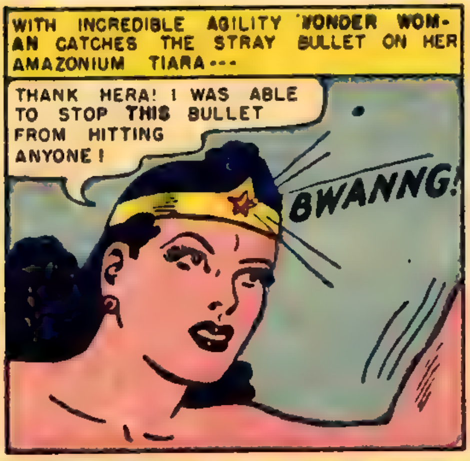

DAILY ARGUS
OPENING OF WONDER WOMAN MUSEUM! ON DISPLAY ARE AMAZON'S FAMOUS ARMOR—LASSO, BRACELETS, TIARA!
MUSEUM
LASSO
TIARA
BRACELETS

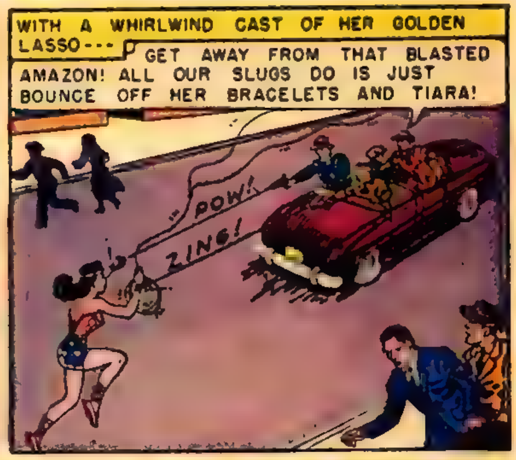

IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE, THE MILITARY INTELLIGENCE OFFICER CHANGES INTO HER SECRET IDENTITY OF---
THAT MUSEUM COULDN'T HAVE WONDER WOMAN'S LASSO, TIARA, AND BRACELETS! IT'S BEEN DEFRAUDED! I OUGHT TO KNOW! I'M REALLY WONDER WOMAN!

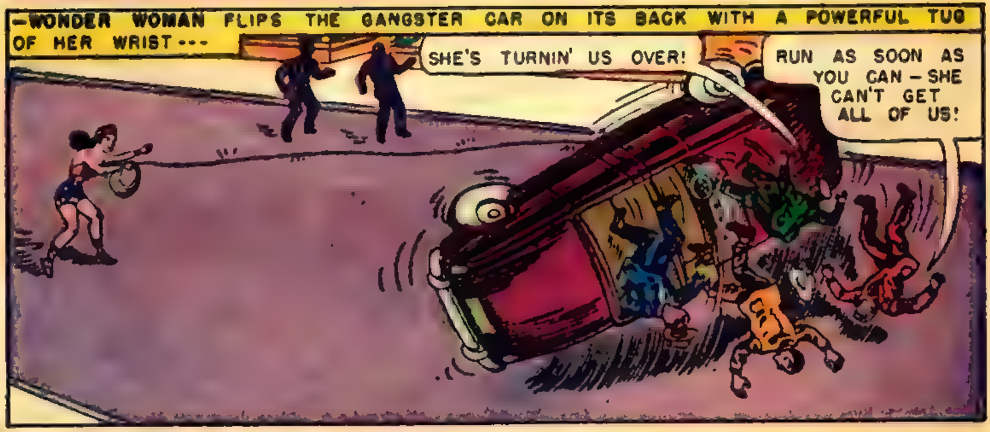

EN ROUTE TO THE MUSEUM THE AMAZON SEES
GREAT HERA! GANGSTERS MAKING A GETAWAY!
CRACK!
BLAM!

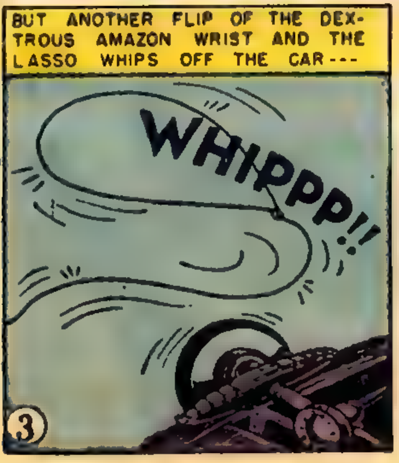

INSTANTLY, WONDER WOMAN PARRIES THE FLYING BULLETS WITH HER BRACELETS MADE OF AMAZONIUM, HARDEST METAL KNOWN---
G!
POW!
ZING!
MUST KEEP THE BULLETS FROM HITTING ANY INNOCENT PASSERSBY!

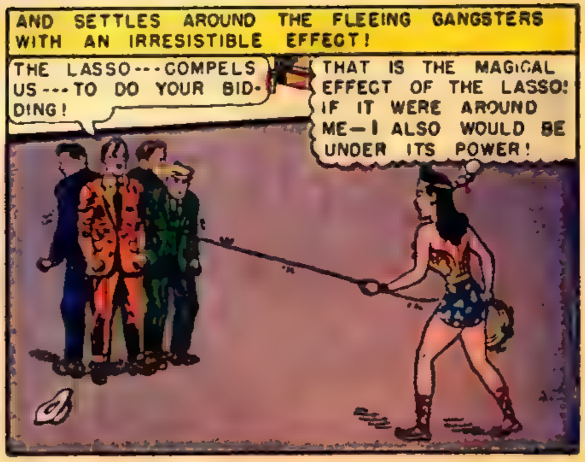

ANOTHER BULLET IS COMING THIS WAY—AND BOTH MY BRACELETS ARE IN USE!
ZING!
ZANG!

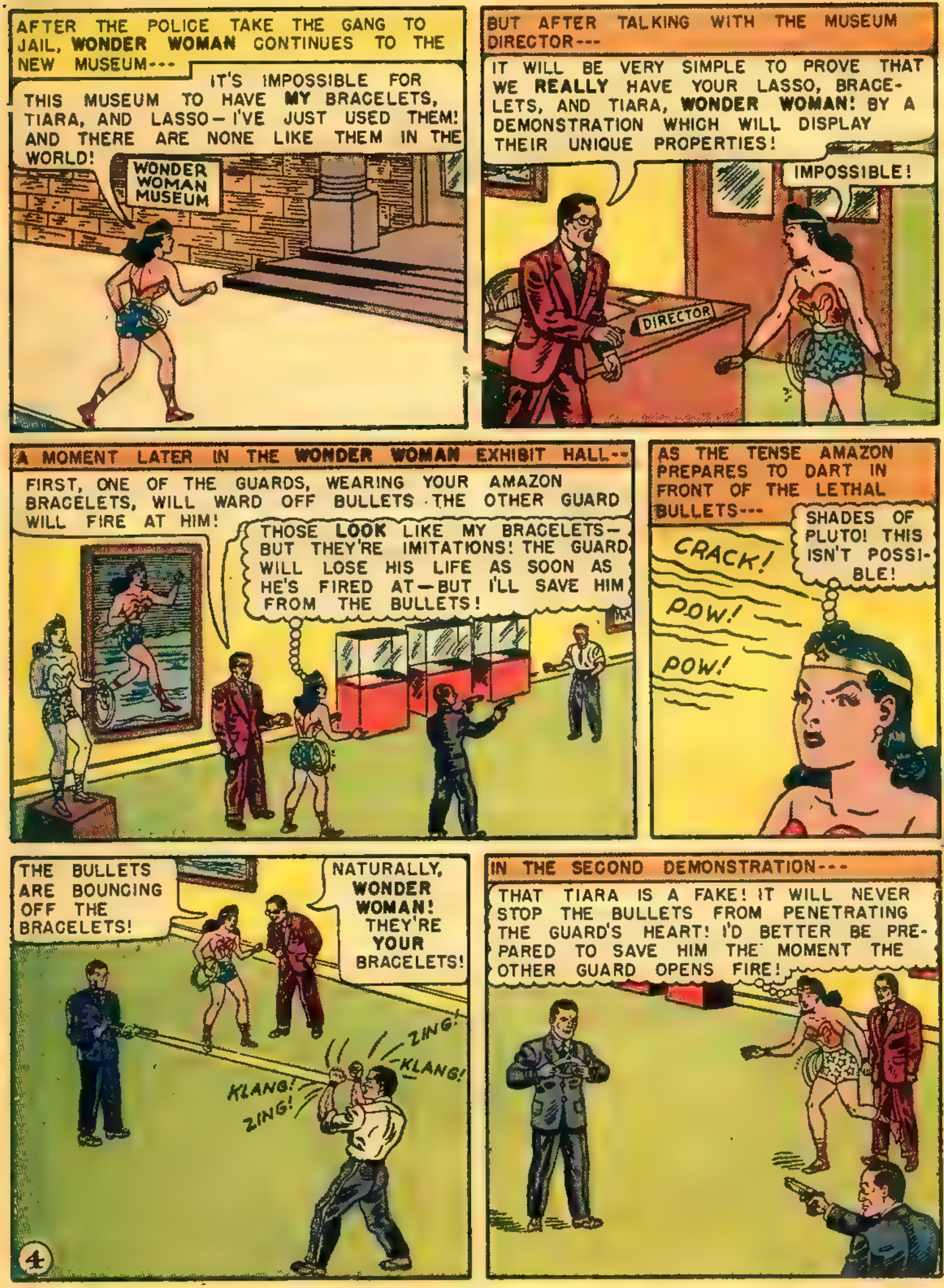

WITH INCREDIBLE AGILITY WONDER WOMAN CATCHES THE STRAY BULLET ON HER AMAZONIUM TIARA---
THANK HERA! I WAS ABLE TO STOP THIS BULLET FROM HITTING ANYONE!
BWANNG!

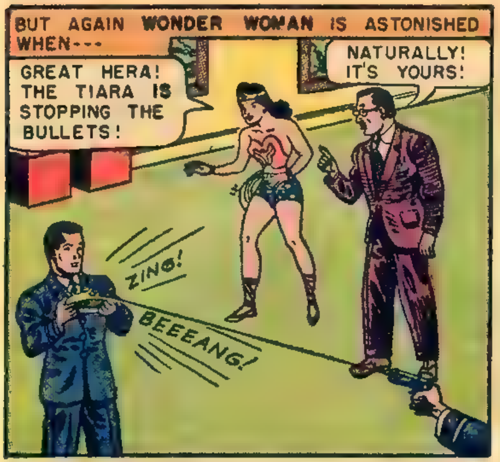

WITH A WHIRLWIND CAST OF HER GOLDEN LASSO---
GET AWAY FROM THAT BLASTED AMAZON! ALL OUR SLUGS DO IS JUST BOUNCE OFF HER BRACELETS AND TIARA!
POW!
ZING!

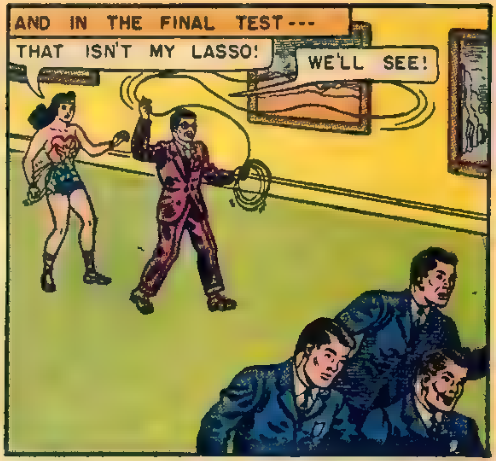

--WONDER WOMAN FLIPS THE GANGSTER CAR ON ITS BACK WITH A POWERFUL TUG OF HER WRIST---
SHE'S TURNIN' US OVER!
RUN AS SOON AS YOU CAN -- SHE CAN'T GET ALL OF US!

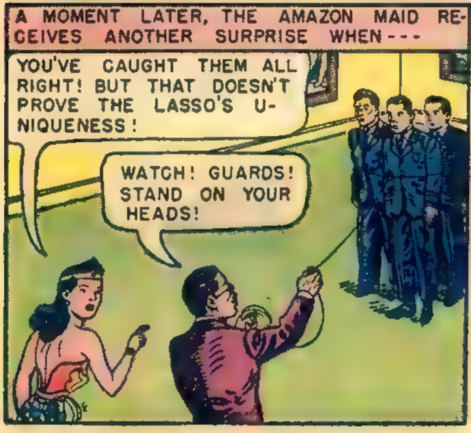

BUT ANOTHER FLIP OF THE DEXTROUS AMAZON WRIST AND THE LASSO WHIPS OFF THE CAR---
WHIPPP!!

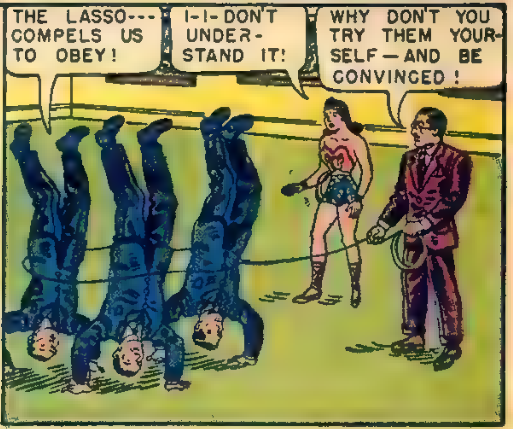

AND SETTLES AROUND THE FLEEING GANGSTERS WITH AN IRRESISTIBLE EFFECT!
THE LASSO---COMPELS US---TO DO YOUR BIDDING!
THAT IS THE MAGICAL EFFECT OF THE LASSO! IF IT WERE AROUND ME--I ALSO WOULD BE UNDER ITS POWER!

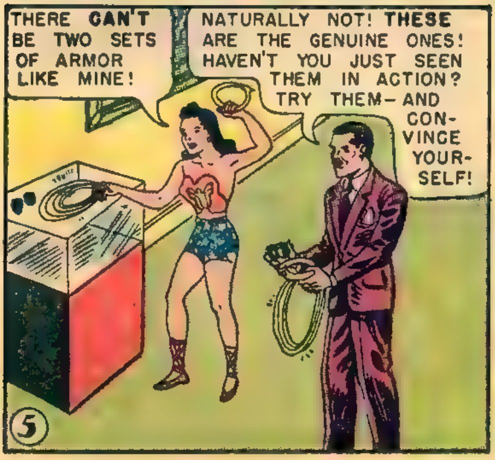

AFTER THE POLICE TAKE THE GANG TO JAIL, WONDER WOMAN CONTINUES TO THE NEW MUSEUM---
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR THIS MUSEUM TO HAVE MY BRACELETS, TIARA, AND LASSO—I'VE JUST USED THEM! AND THERE ARE NONE LIKE THEM IN THE WORLD!
WONDER WOMAN MUSEUM
BUT AFTER TALKING WITH THE MUSEUM DIRECTOR---
IT WILL BE VERY SIMPLE TO PROVE THAT WE REALLY HAVE YOUR LASSO, BRACELETS, AND TIARA, WONDER WOMAN! BY A DEMONSTRATION WHICH WILL DISPLAY THEIR UNIQUE PROPERTIES!
IMPOSSIBLE!
DIRECTOR
A MOMENT LATER IN THE WONDER WOMAN EXHIBIT HALL--
FIRST, ONE OF THE GUARDS, WEARING YOUR AMAZON BRACELETS, WILL WARD OFF BULLETS THE OTHER GUARD WILL FIRE AT HIM!
THOSE LOOK LIKE MY BRACELETS—BUT THEY'RE IMITATIONS! THE GUARD WILL LOSE HIS LIFE AS SOON AS HE'S FIRED AT—BUT I'LL SAVE HIM FROM THE BULLETS!
AS THE TENSE AMAZON PREPARES TO DART IN FRONT OF THE LETHAL BULLETS---
SHADES OF PLUTO! THIS ISN'T POSSIBLE!
CRACK!
POW!
POW!
THE BULLETS ARE BOUNCING OFF THE BRACELETS!
NATURALLY, WONDER WOMAN! THEY'RE YOUR BRACELETS!
ZING!
KLANG!
KLANG!
ZING!
IN THE SECOND DEMONSTRATION---
THAT TIARA IS A FAKE! IT WILL NEVER STOP THE BULLETS FROM PENETRATING THE GUARD'S HEART! I'D BETTER BE PREPARED TO SAVE HIM THE MOMENT THE OTHER GUARD OPENS FIRE!

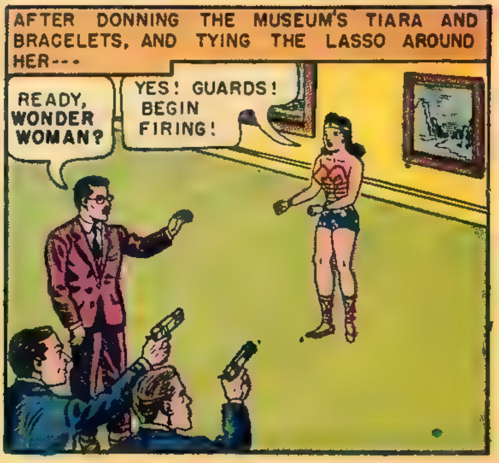

BUT AGAIN WONDER WOMAN IS ASTONISHED WHEN---
GREAT HERA! THE TIARA IS STOPPING THE BULLETS!
NATURALLY! IT'S YOURS!
ZING!
BEEEANG!

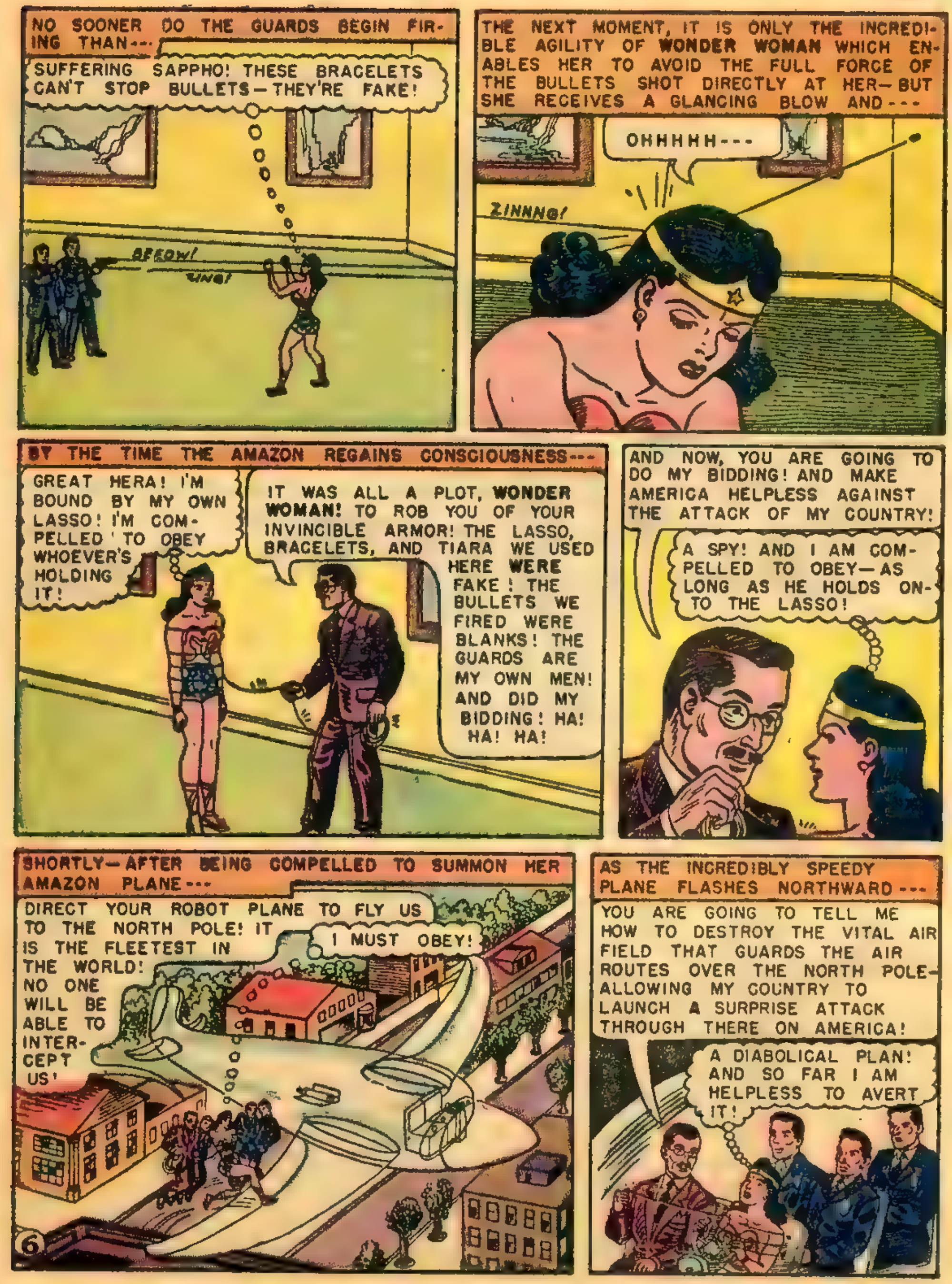

AND IN THE FINAL TEST---
THAT ISN'T MY LASSO!
WE'LL SEE!


A MOMENT LATER, THE AMAZON MAID RECEIVES ANOTHER SURPRISE WHEN---
YOU'VE CAUGHT THEM ALL RIGHT! BUT THAT DOESN'T PROVE THE LASSO'S UNIQUENESS!
WATCH! GUARDS! STAND ON YOUR HEADS!


THE LASSO--- COMPELS US TO OBEY!
I-I-DON'T UNDERSTAND IT!
WHY DON'T YOU TRY THEM YOURSELF—AND BE CONVINCED!


THERE CAN'T BE TWO SETS OF ARMOR LIKE MINE!
NATURALLY NOT! THESE ARE THE GENUINE ONES! HAVEN'T YOU JUST SEEN THEM IN ACTION? TRY THEM—AND CONVINCE YOURSELF!


AFTER DONNING THE MUSEUM'S TIARA AND BRACELETS, AND TYING THE LASSO AROUND HER---
READY, WONDER WOMAN?
YES! GUARDS! BEGIN FIRING!


NO SOONER DO THE GUARDS BEGIN FIRING THAN---
SUFFERING SAPPHO! THESE BRACELETS CAN'T STOP BULLETS—THEY'RE FAKE!
BEEOW!
ZING!
THE NEXT MOMENT, IT IS ONLY THE INCREDIBLE AGILITY OF WONDER WOMAN WHICH ENABLES HER TO AVOID THE FULL FORCE OF THE BULLETS SHOT DIRECTLY AT HER—BUT SHE RECEIVES A GLANCING BLOW AND---
OHHHHH---
ZINNNG!
BY THE TIME THE AMAZON REGAINS CONSCIOUSNESS---
GREAT HERA! I'M BOUND BY MY OWN LASSO! I'M COMPELLED TO OBEY WHOEVER'S HOLDING IT!
IT WAS ALL A PLOT, WONDER WOMAN! TO ROB YOU OF YOUR INVINCIBLE ARMOR! THE LASSO, BRACELETS, AND TIARA WE USED HERE WERE FAKE! THE BULLETS WE FIRED WERE BLANKS! THE GUARDS ARE MY OWN MEN! AND DID MY BIDDING! HA! HA! HA!
AND NOW, YOU ARE GOING TO DO MY BIDDING! AND MAKE AMERICA HELPLESS AGAINST THE ATTACK OF MY COUNTRY!
A SPY! AND I AM COMPELLED TO OBEY—AS LONG AS HE HOLDS ONTO THE LASSO!
SHORTLY—AFTER BEING COMPELLED TO SUMMON HER AMAZON PLANE---
DIRECT YOUR ROBOT PLANE TO FLY US TO THE NORTH POLE! IT IS THE FLEETEST IN THE WORLD! NO ONE WILL BE ABLE TO INTERCEPT US!
I MUST OBEY!
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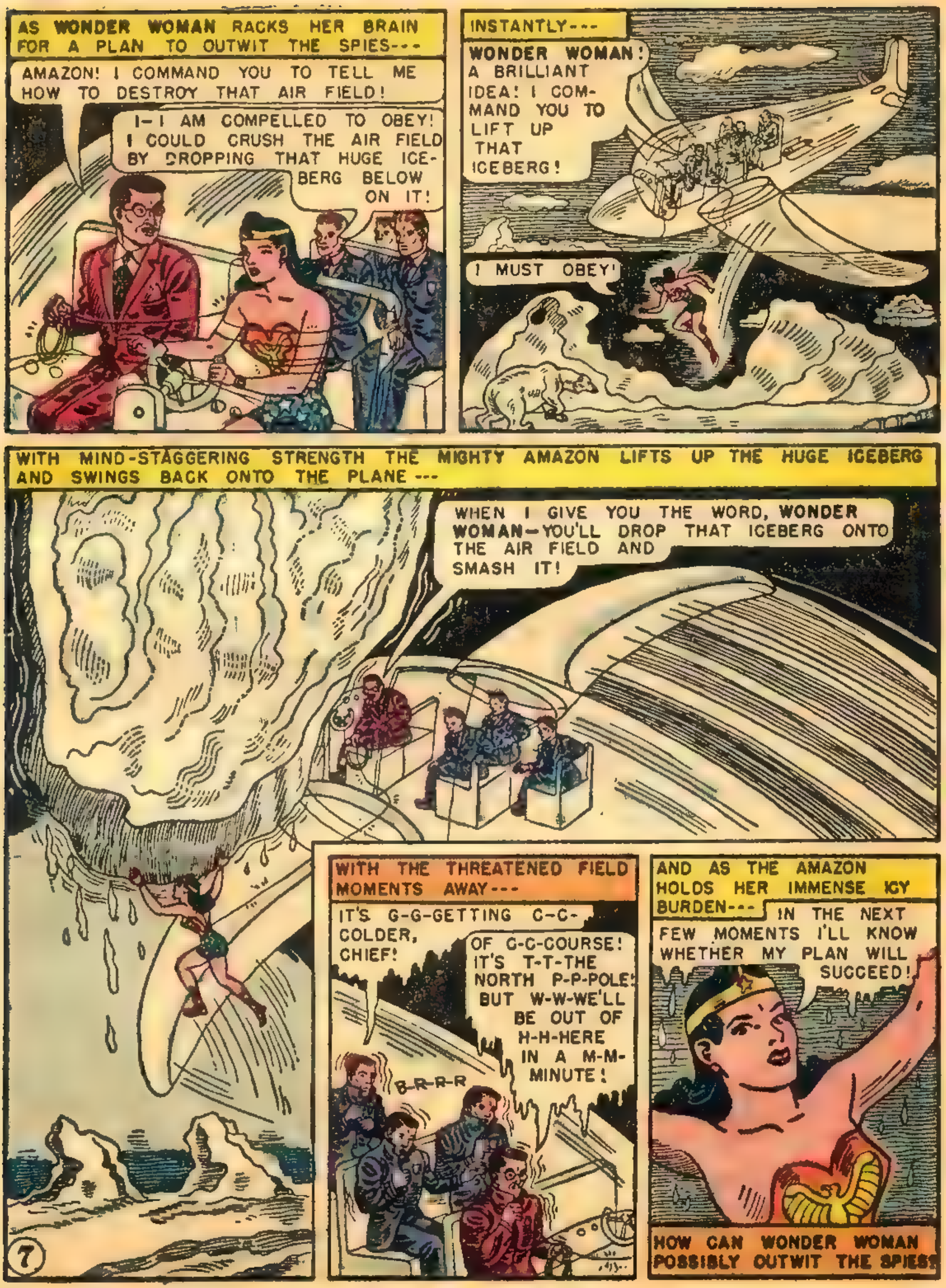
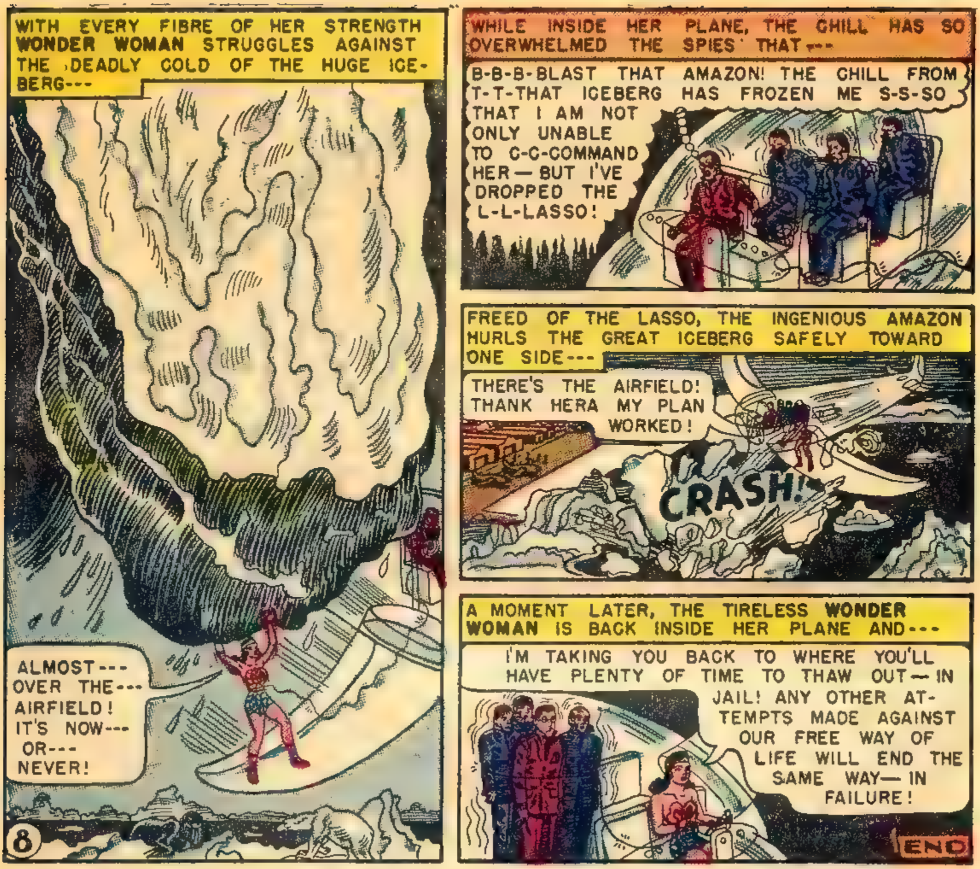
AS THE INCREDIBLY SPEEDY PLANE FLASHES NORTHWARD---
YOU ARE GOING TO TELL ME HOW TO DESTROY THE VITAL AIR FIELD THAT GUARDS THE AIR ROUTES OVER THE NORTH POLE—ALLOWING MY COUNTRY TO LAUNCH A SURPRISE ATTACK THROUGH THERE ON AMERICA!
A DIABOLICAL PLAN! AND SO FAR I AM HELPLESS TO AVERT IT!


AS WONDER WOMAN RACKS HER BRAIN FOR A PLAN TO OUTWIT THE SPIES---
AMAZON! I COMMAND YOU TO TELL ME HOW TO DESTROY THAT AIR FIELD!
I-I AM COMPELLED TO OBEY! I COULD CRUSH THE AIR FIELD BY DROPPING THAT HUGE ICEBERG BELOW ON IT!
INSTANTLY---
WONDER WOMAN! A BRILLIANT IDEA! I COMMAND YOU TO LIFT UP THAT ICEBERG!
I MUST OBEY!
WITH MIND-STAGGERING STRENGTH THE MIGHTY AMAZON LIFTS UP THE HUGE ICEBERG AND SWINGS BACK ONTO THE PLANE ---
WHEN I GIVE YOU THE WORD, WONDER WOMAN—YOU'LL DROP THAT ICEBERG ONTO THE AIR FIELD AND SMASH IT!
WITH THE THREATENED FIELD MOMENTS AWAY---
IT'S G-G-GETTING C-C-COLDER, CHIEF!
OF C-C-COURSE! IT'S T-T-THE NORTH P-P-POLE! BUT W-W-WE'LL BE OUT OF H-H-HERE IN A M-M-MINUTE!
B-R-R-R
AND AS THE AMAZON HOLDS HER IMMENSE ICY BURDEN---
IN THE NEXT FEW MOMENTS I'LL KNOW WHETHER MY PLAN WILL SUCCEED!
HOW CAN WONDER WOMAN POSSIBLY OUTWIT THE SPIES?


WITH EVERY FIBRE OF HER STRENGTH **WONDER WOMAN** STRUGGLES AGAINST THE DEADLY COLD OF THE HUGE ICEBERG---
ALMOST--- OVER THE--- AIRFIELD! IT'S NOW--- OR--- NEVER!
8
WHILE INSIDE HER PLANE, THE CHILL HAS SO OVERWHELMED THE SPIES THAT---
B-B-B-BLAST THAT AMAZON! THE CHILL FROM T-T-THAT ICEBERG HAS FROZEN ME S-S-SO THAT I AM NOT ONLY UNABLE TO C-C-COMMAND HER — BUT I'VE DROPPED THE L-L-LASSO!
FREED OF THE LASSO, THE INGENIOUS AMAZON HURLS THE GREAT ICEBERG SAFELY TOWARD ONE SIDE---
THERE'S THE AIRFIELD! THANK HERA MY PLAN WORKED!
CRASH!
A MOMENT LATER, THE TIRELESS **WONDER WOMAN** IS BACK INSIDE HER PLANE AND---
I'M TAKING YOU BACK TO WHERE YOU'LL HAVE PLENTY OF TIME TO THAW OUT — IN JAIL! ANY OTHER ATTEMPTS MADE AGAINST OUR FREE WAY OF LIFE WILL END THE SAME WAY — IN FAILURE!
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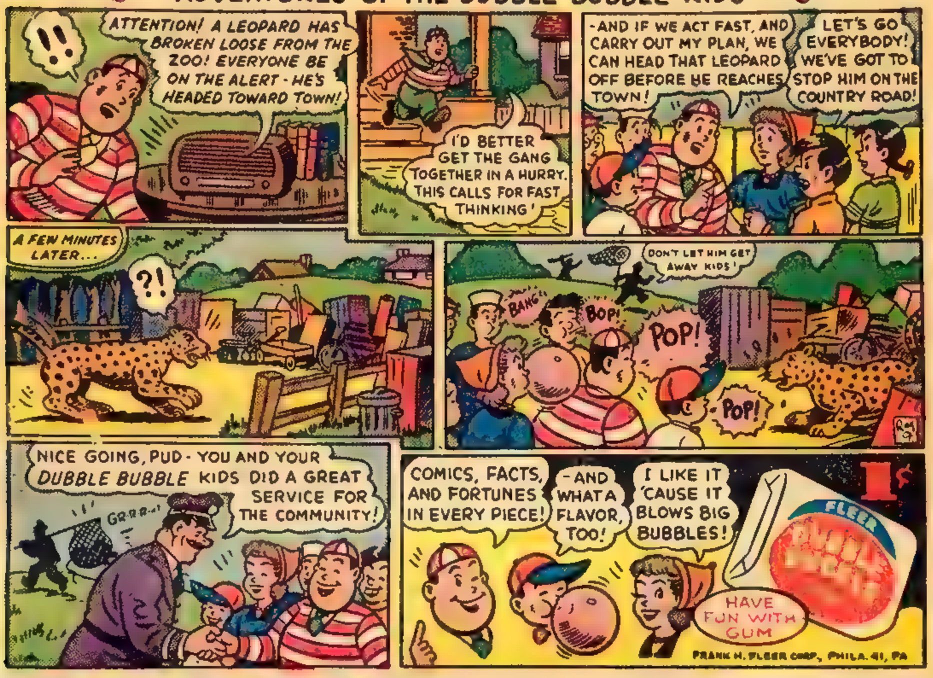
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ATTENTION! A LEOPARD HAS BROKEN LOOSE FROM THE ZOO! EVERYONE BE ON THE ALERT - HE'S HEADED TOWARD TOWN!
I'D BETTER GET THE GANG TOGETHER IN A HURRY. THIS CALLS FOR FAST THINKING!
-AND IF WE ACT FAST, AND CARRY OUT MY PLAN, WE CAN HEAD THAT LEOPARD OFF BEFORE HE REACHES TOWN!
LET'S GO EVERYBODY! WE'VE GOT TO STOP HIM ON THE COUNTRY ROAD!
A FEW MINUTES LATER...
?!
DON'T LET HIM GET AWAY KIDS!
BANG
BOP!
POP!
POP!
NICE GOING, PUD - YOU AND YOUR DUBBLE BUBBLE KIDS DID A GREAT SERVICE FOR THE COMMUNITY!
GR-R-R
COMICS, FACTS, AND FORTUNES IN EVERY PIECE!
- AND WHAT A FLAVOR, TOO!
I LIKE IT 'CAUSE IT BLOWS BIG BUBBLES!
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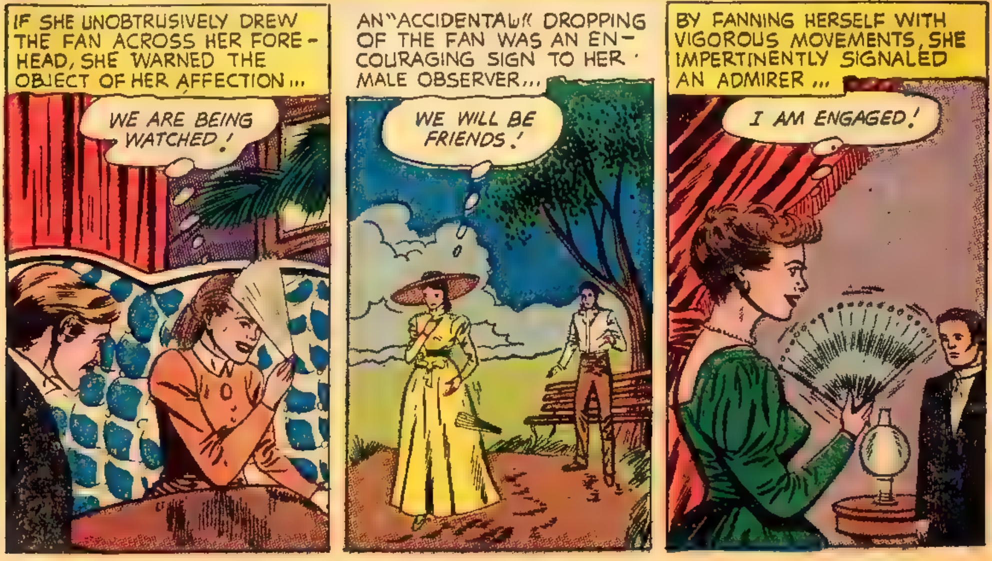
FLEER
HAVE FUN WITH GUM
FRANK H. FLEER CORP., PHILA. 41, PA

FAN Flirtations

ALTHOUGH THE RIGID CODE OF THE VICTORIAN AGE FROWNED ON ANY OUTWARD FLIRTATION BETWEEN THE SEXES, A WOMAN COULD STILL MANAGE TO CONVEY HER UNVOICED THOUGHTS WITH THE AID OF A *FAN*...

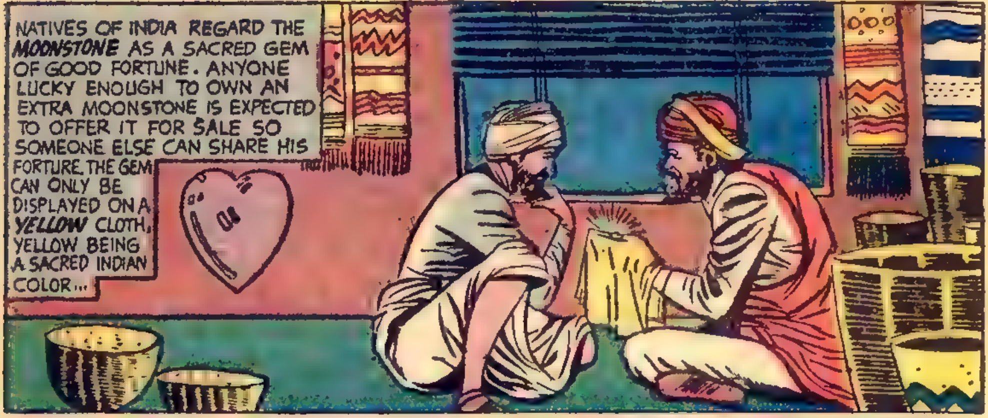

IF SHE UNOBTRUSIVELY DREW THE FAN ACROSS HER FOREHEAD, SHE WARNED THE OBJECT OF HER AFFECTION...

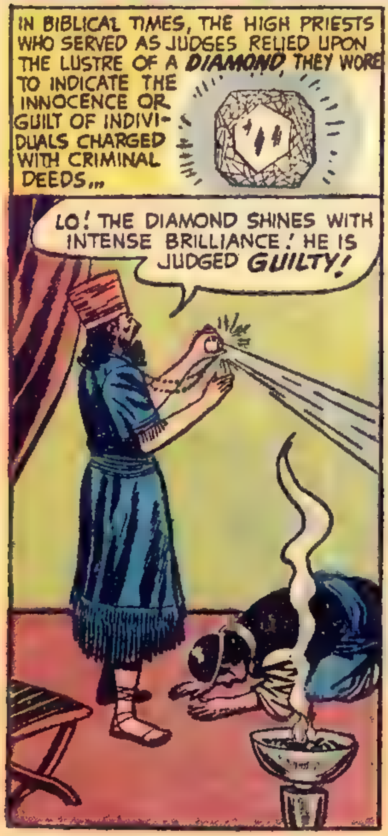
AN "ACCIDENTAL" DROPPING OF THE FAN WAS AN ENCOURAGING SIGN TO HER MALE OBSERVER...

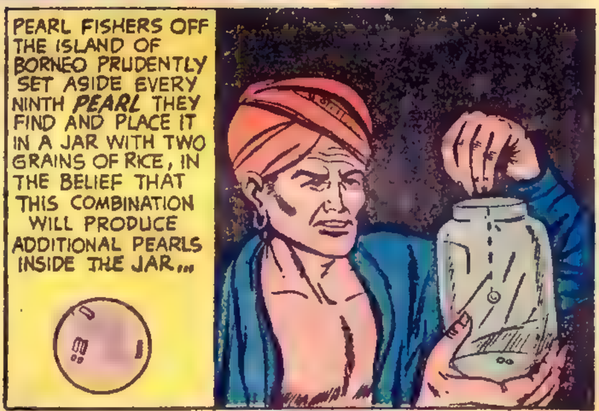
BY FANNING HERSELF WITH VIGOROUS MOVEMENTS, SHE IMPERTINENTLY SIGNALED AN ADMIRER...

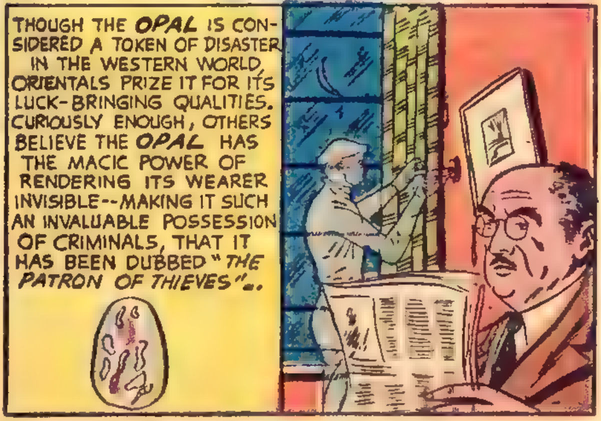
WE ARE BEING WATCHED!
WE WILL BE FRIENDS!
I AM ENGAGED!

GEMS of DESTINY!

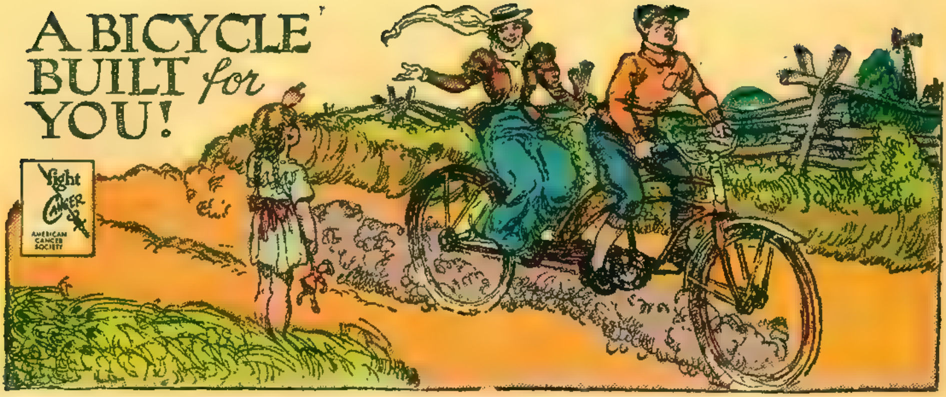

NATIVES OF INDIA REGARD THE MOONSTONE AS A SACRED GEM OF GOOD FORTUNE. ANYONE LUCKY ENOUGH TO OWN AN EXTRA MOONSTONE IS EXPECTED TO OFFER IT FOR SALE SO SOMEONE ELSE CAN SHARE HIS FORTUNE. THE GEM CAN ONLY BE DISPLAYED ON A YELLOW CLOTH, YELLOW BEING A SACRED INDIAN COLOR...


IN BIBLICAL TIMES, THE HIGH PRIESTS WHO SERVED AS JUDGES RELIED UPON THE LUSTRE OF A DIAMOND THEY WORE TO INDICATE THE INNOCENCE OR GUILT OF INDIVIDUALS CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL DEEDS...
LO! THE DIAMOND SHINES WITH INTENSE BRILLIANCE! HE IS JUDGED GUILTY!


PEARL FISHERS OFF THE ISLAND OF BORNEO PRUDENTLY SET ASIDE EVERY NINTH PEARL THEY FIND AND PLACE IT IN A JAR WITH TWO GRAINS OF RICE, IN THE BELIEF THAT THIS COMBINATION WILL PRODUCE ADDITIONAL PEARLS INSIDE THE JAR...


THOUGH THE OPAL IS CONSIDERED A TOKEN OF DISASTER IN THE WESTERN WORLD, ORIENTALS PRIZE IT FOR ITS LUCK-BRINGING QUALITIES. CURIOUSLY ENOUGH, OTHERS BELIEVE THE OPAL HAS THE MAGIC POWER OF RENDERING ITS WEARER INVISIBLE--MAKING IT SUCH AN INVALUABLE POSSESSION OF CRIMINALS, THAT IT HAS BEEN DUBBED "THE PATRON OF THIEVES"...

A BICYCLE BUILT *for* YOU!



NOT long ago, a well-known sociologist declared that one of the factors leading to the eventual freedom and equality for women in the United States, was the very popular form of vehicular locomotion, the bicycle.

The bicycle made its first appearance in this country in the late '90's. Up until that time, girls led comparatively sheltered lives. No parent, for instance, would dream of letting her daughter go unchaperoned to the theater with a young man.

And a proper young lady would be aghast at the very thought of speaking to a strange young man, no matter how well brought-up he happened to be. Even if the young man lived on the same street, it wasn't considered "nice" to wish him good-morning unless they had previously been introduced by an older person who knew them both.

The dress worn by the sheltered females of that day was in keeping with the other restrictions of the time. Garments were worn so long that they were called sidewalk-sweepers by jokesters of the day.

Bustles look charming when worn by the pretty girls of a period-piece costume play today, but hardly made walking or sitting very comfortable for the girls of the Gay Nineties.

Then, suddenly, the bicycle appeared. Almost instantaneously, the exciting new distraction caught the imagination of women, who may have foreseen in it the instrument for their eventual freedom.

Within years, the bicycle not only changed women's way of living, but radically altered their fashions in clothes. It was impossible even to mount a bike wearing a bustle. So, the divided skirt, a costume hitherto worn only by daring actresses, was swiftly adopted as a sensible garment to wear for bicycling.

In addition, the rather drab materials and costumes gave way to new, colorful costumes in keeping with the sports-like character of bicycling. Leg-o'-mutton sleeves that daringly peeped out of brightly-colored jackets were as much of an innovation as the peekaboo shirtwaists that were worn with a bright bow tie on a mannish, stifflystarched collar. A cute little sailor-hat completed the "new look."

Then again, a "new attitude" developed in tune with the "new look." The sport brought girls into closer contact with people and, before long, they thought nothing of waving a good-natured greeting to another passing bicyclist—even if he happened to be a member of the opposite sex.

As more and more bicyclists took to the road, more and more acquaintanceships were formed, and acquaintanceships ripened into friendships.

The strict parent who heretofore frowned on Janie's speaking to the pleasant young man who lived on the same street because they hadn't been properly introduced, now found comfort in the knowledge that, at least, Janie would be protected on her long rides into the country. Formal introductions, it seemed, weren't so important after all.

Great and small soon adopted the new sport. The famous actress, Lillian Russell, attracted attention wherever she went on her gold-plated bicycle.

But most average girls were satisfied with the ordinary metal ones. In those days, a bicycle cost as high as $150. Though this may not sound like very much to us, the amount was comparable to the cost of an automobile today. A man earning $25 a week in the late '90's was able to purchase a house and support a large family in solid comfort.

Even though a bicycle cost 10 times more than the price of a good suit, every effort was made to provide Janie and her brother with bikes.

For the girls, however, it was the importation from England of the tandem (the bicycle built for two) in 1894 that caused feminine hearts to flutter. It wasn't the girl who bought the tandem, as a rule. It was the young man who was willing to pay big money for this prized sports model, which was the equivalent of today's sports convertible.

The usually staid *Harper's Weekly*, in its editorial column, took more than passing notice of this innovation with the following well-chosen words:

"Many loving couples are mounted on a bicycle built for two. It is a handsome conveyance and a good vehicle for romance. We expect to see more of them next summer."

Harper's Weekly was not to be disappointed. The bicycle built for two became the rage soon after its appearance, and for many years, the demand was far greater than the ability of manufacturers to produce them.

It was a natural thing, of course, for enthusiastic cyclists to form bicycle clubs. But, for the female of the species, it was decidedly a new era when they were allowed to join these clubs.

It is commonly believed that the automobile supplanted the bicycle. Actually, statistics give the true picture. In 1899, when bicycling was at its height, about one out of every 12 persons was the proud possessor of a bicycle. Today, one out of every 10 persons owns one.

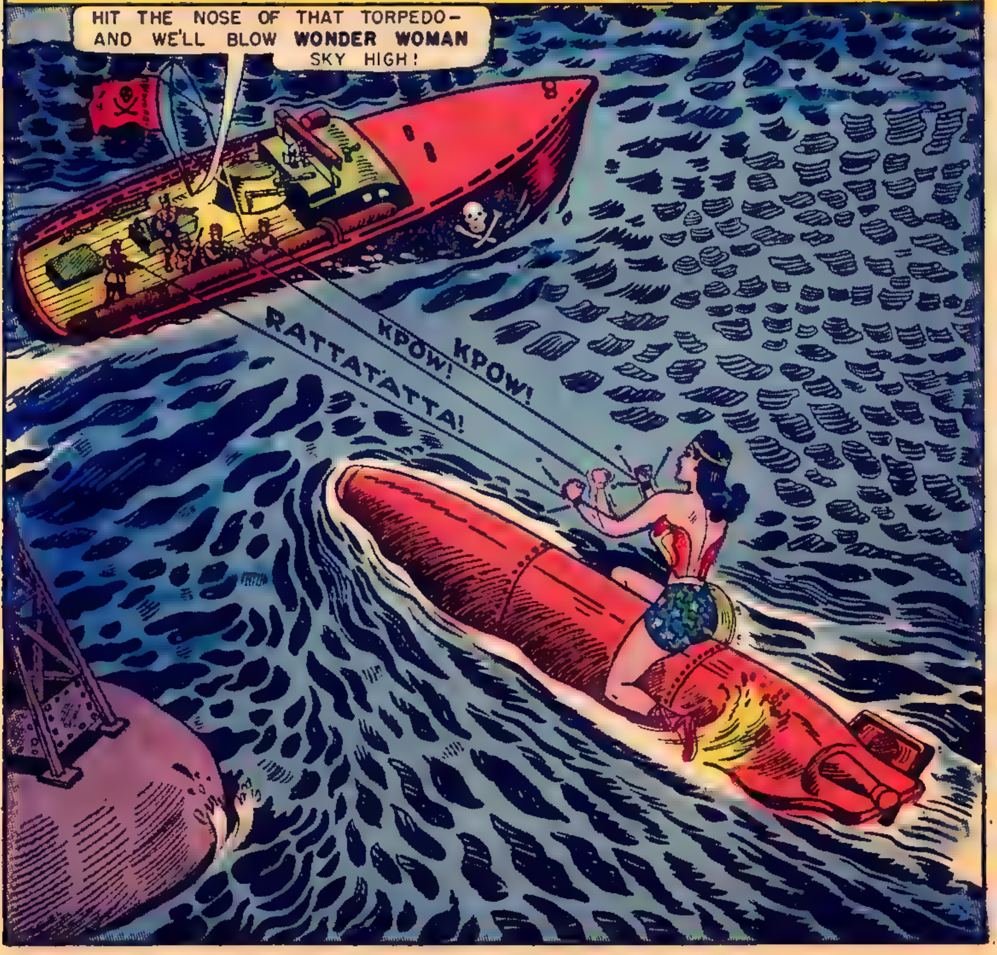
Bicycling, then, has been one of the most popular pastimes for over a half century!

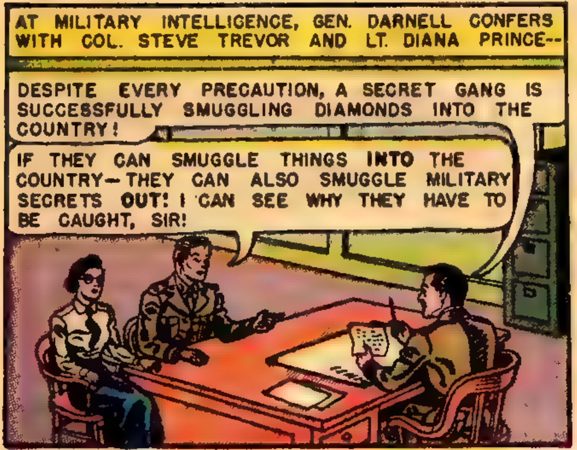
Wonder Woman

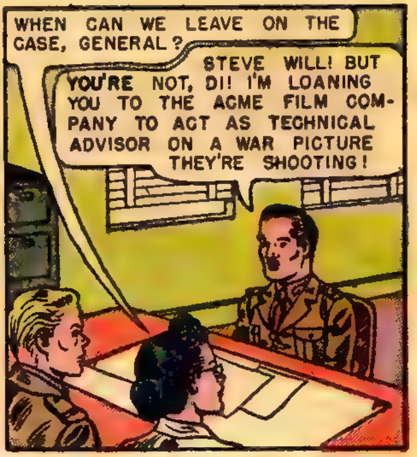
By CHARLES MOULTON

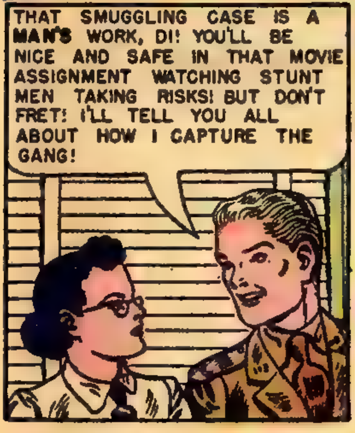
WONDER WOMAN—BEAUTIFUL AS APHRODITE, WISE AS ATHENA, SWIFTER THAN MERCURY, AND STRONGER THAN HERCULES—HAS HAD DEADLY PROJECTILES HURLED AT HER IN HER CONSTANT BATTLE AGAINST CRIME AND INJUSTICE, FROM BULLETS TO BATTLESHIPS, SPEARS TO INTERPLANETARY RAYS! NOW, SHE FINDS HERSELF ON THE MOST EXPLOSIVE SPOT OF ALL AS SHE ACTUALLY RIDES ATOP A ------

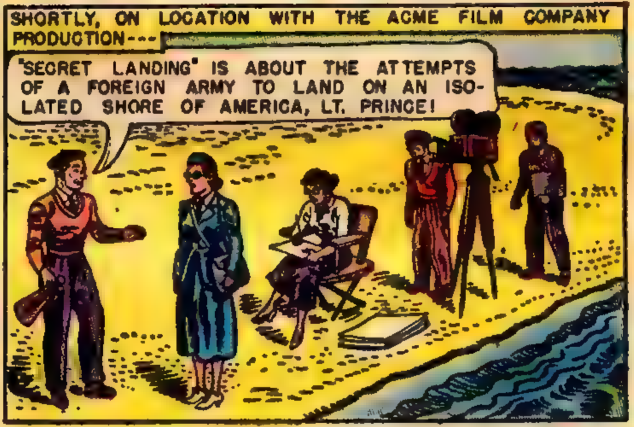
"T.N.T. TARGET!"

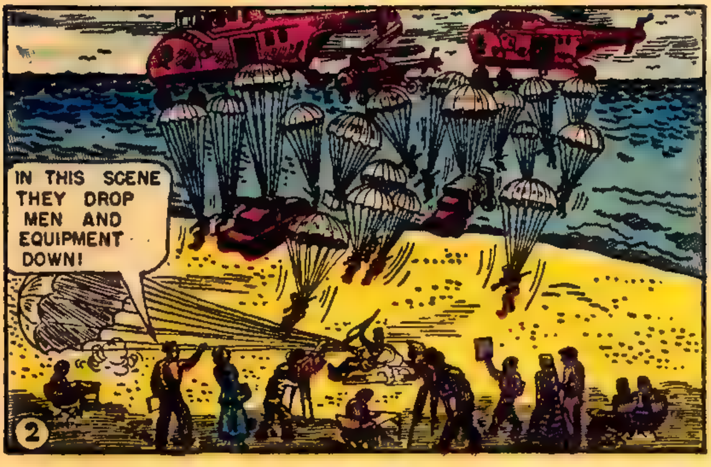

HIT THE NOSE OF THAT TORPEDO—AND WE'LL BLOW **WONDER WOMAN** SKY HIGH!
KPOW! KPOW!
RATTATATTA!

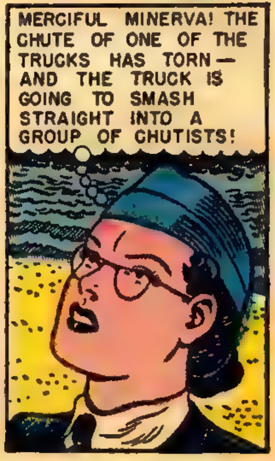

AT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, GEN. DARNELL CONFERS WITH COL. STEVE TREVOR AND LT. DIANA PRINCE--
DESPITE EVERY PRECAUTION, A SECRET GANG IS SUCCESSFULLY SMUGGLING DIAMONDS INTO THE COUNTRY!
IF THEY CAN SMUGGLE THINGS INTO THE COUNTRY—THEY CAN ALSO SMUGGLE MILITARY SECRETS OUT! I CAN SEE WHY THEY HAVE TO BE CAUGHT, SIR!

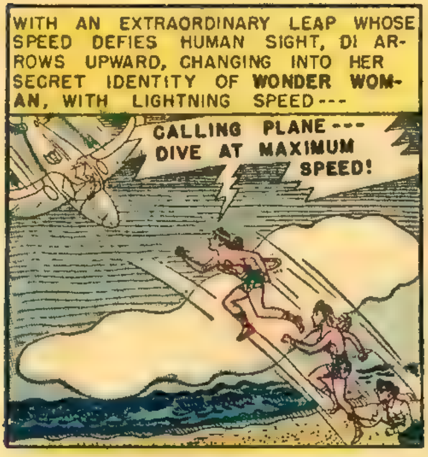

WHEN CAN WE LEAVE ON THE CASE, GENERAL?
STEVE WILL! BUT YOU'RE NOT, DI! I'M LOANING YOU TO THE ACME FILM COMPANY TO ACT AS TECHNICAL ADVISOR ON A WAR PICTURE THEY'RE SHOOTING!

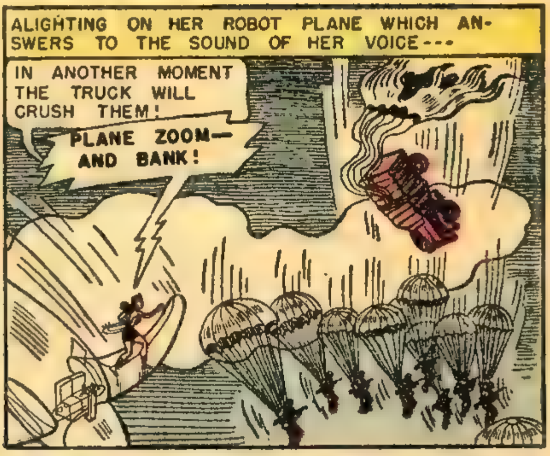

THAT SMUGGLING CASE IS A MAN'S WORK, DI! YOU'LL BE NICE AND SAFE IN THAT MOVIE ASSIGNMENT WATCHING STUNT MEN TAKING RISKS! BUT DON'T FRET! I'LL TELL YOU ALL ABOUT HOW I CAPTURE THE GANG!

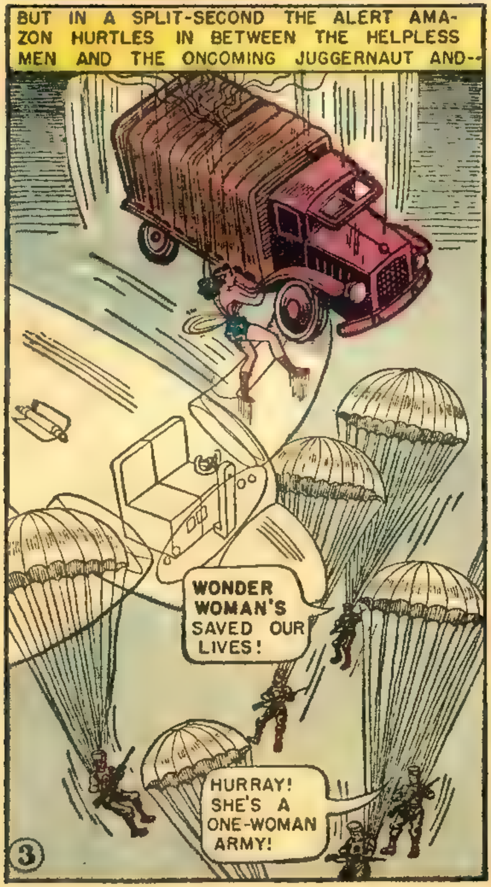

SHORTLY, ON LOCATION WITH THE ACME FILM COMPANY PRODUCTION---
'SECRET LANDING' IS ABOUT THE ATTEMPTS OF A FOREIGN ARMY TO LAND ON AN ISOLATED SHORE OF AMERICA, LT. PRINCE!

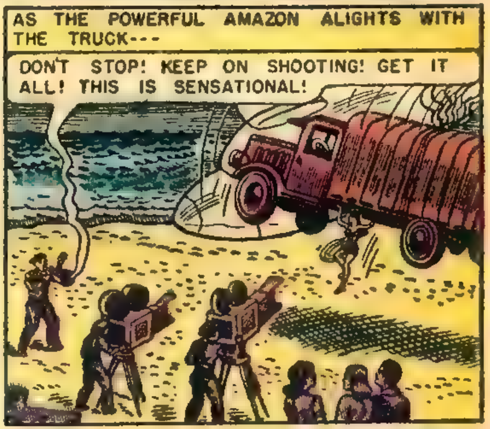

IN THIS SCENE THEY DROP MEN AND EQUIPMENT DOWN!

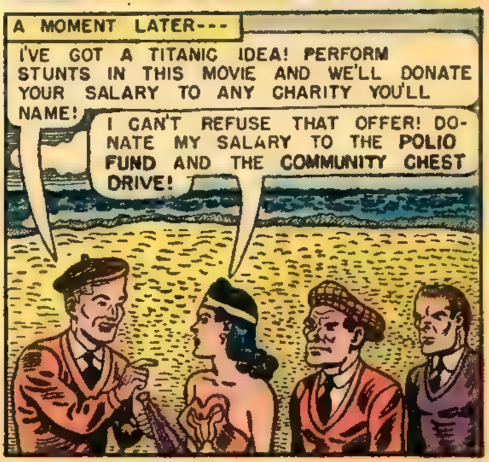

MERCIFUL MINERVA! THE CHUTE OF ONE OF THE TRUCKS HAS TORN—AND THE TRUCK IS GOING TO SMASH STRAIGHT INTO A GROUP OF CHUTISTS!

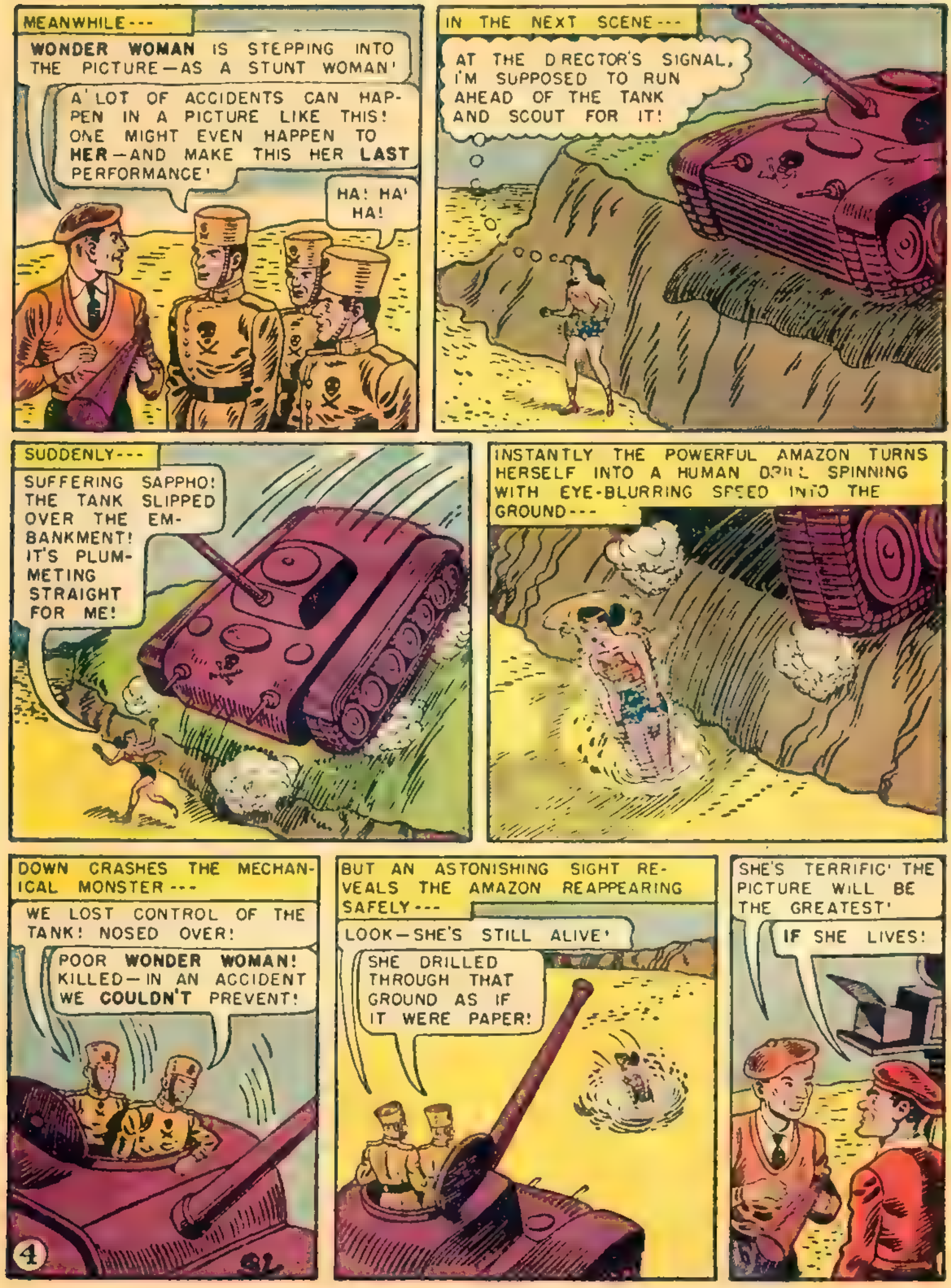

WITH AN EXTRAORDINARY LEAP WHOSE SPEED DEFIES HUMAN SIGHT, DI ARROWS UPWARD, CHANGING INTO HER SECRET IDENTITY OF **WONDER WOMAN**, WITH LIGHTNING SPEED---
CALLING PLANE--- DIVE AT MAXIMUM SPEED!

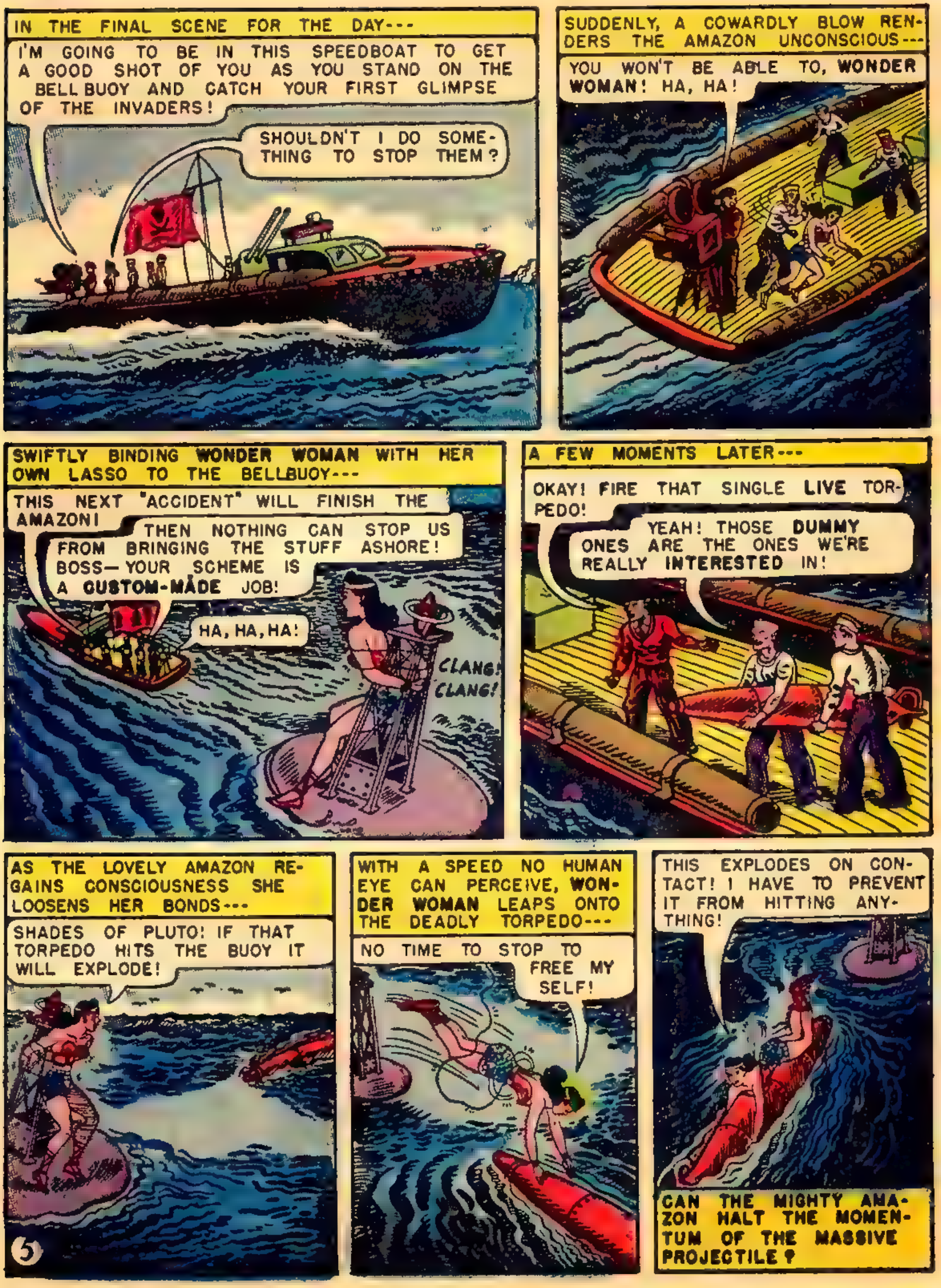

ALIGHTING ON HER ROBOT PLANE WHICH ANSWERS TO THE SOUND OF HER VOICE---
IN ANOTHER MOMENT THE TRUCK WILL CRUSH THEM!
PLANE ZOOM— AND BANK!

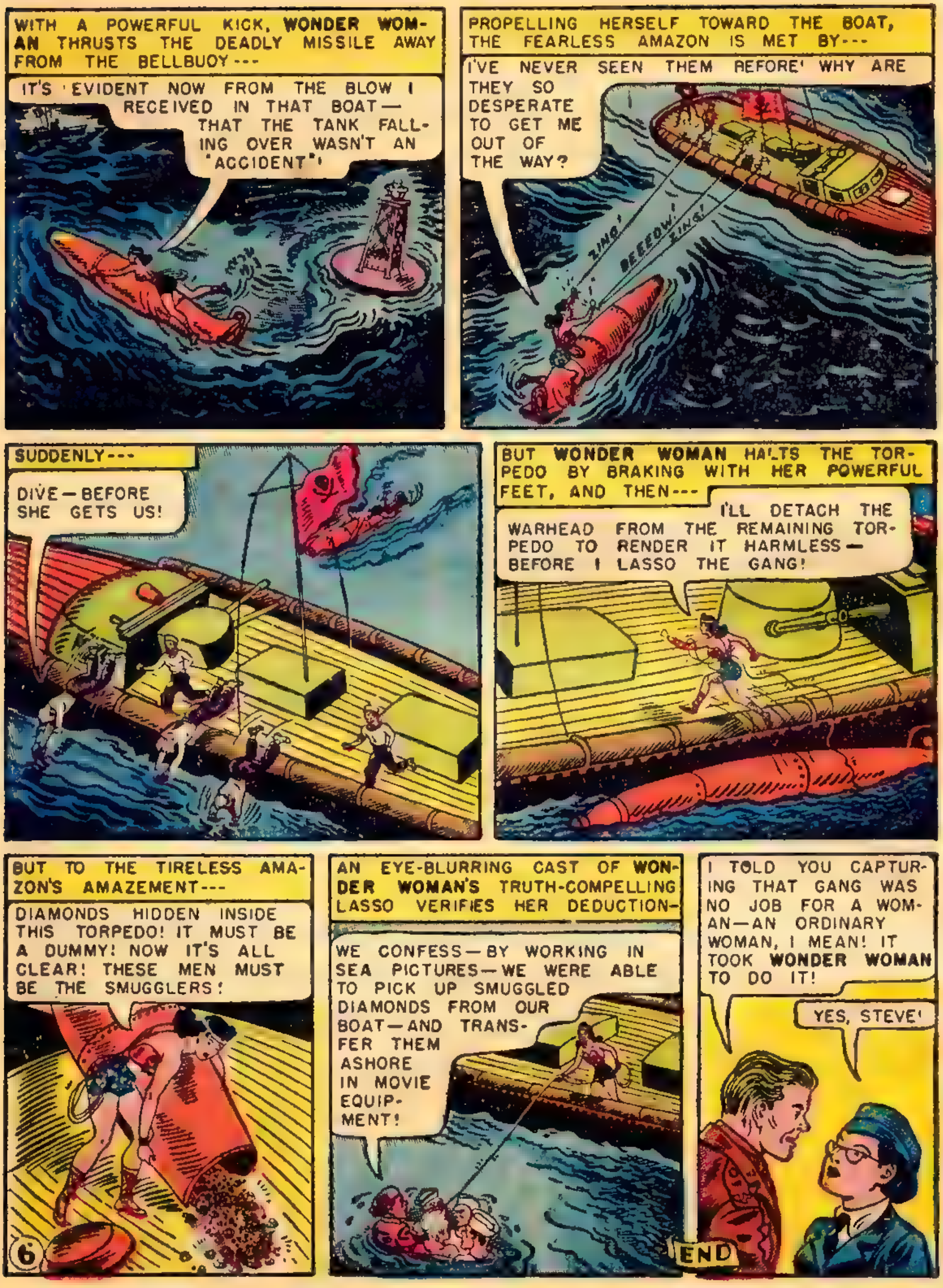

BUT IN A SPLIT-SECOND THE ALERT AMAZON HURTLES IN BETWEEN THE HELPLESS MEN AND THE ONCOMING JUGGERNAUT AND--
WONDER WOMAN'S SAVED OUR LIVES!
HURRAY! SHE'S A ONE-WOMAN ARMY!


AS THE POWERFUL AMAZON ALIGHTS WITH THE TRUCK---
DON'T STOP! KEEP ON SHOOTING! GET IT ALL! THIS IS SENSATIONAL!


A MOMENT LATER---
I'VE GOT A TITANIC IDEA! PERFORM STUNTS IN THIS MOVIE AND WE'LL DONATE YOUR SALARY TO ANY CHARITY YOU'LL NAME!
I CAN'T REFUSE THAT OFFER! DONATE MY SALARY TO THE **POLIO FUND** AND THE **COMMUNITY CHEST DRIVE!**


MEANWHILE---
WONDER WOMAN IS STEPPING INTO THE PICTURE—AS A STUNT WOMAN!
A LOT OF ACCIDENTS CAN HAPPEN IN A PICTURE LIKE THIS! ONE MIGHT EVEN HAPPEN TO HER—AND MAKE THIS HER LAST PERFORMANCE!
HA! HA! HA!
IN THE NEXT SCENE---
AT THE DIRECTOR'S SIGNAL, I'M SUPPOSED TO RUN AHEAD OF THE TANK AND SCOUT FOR IT!
SUDDENLY---
SUFFERING SAPPHO! THE TANK SLIPPED OVER THE EMBANKMENT! IT'S PLUMMETING STRAIGHT FOR ME!
INSTANTLY THE POWERFUL AMAZON TURNS HERSELF INTO A HUMAN DRILL SPINNING WITH EYE-BLURRING SPEED INTO THE GROUND---
DOWN CRASHES THE MECHANICAL MONSTER---
WE LOST CONTROL OF THE TANK! NOSED OVER!
POOR WONDER WOMAN! KILLED—IN AN ACCIDENT WE COULDN'T PREVENT!
BUT AN ASTONISHING SIGHT REVEALS THE AMAZON REAPPEARING SAFELY---
LOOK—SHE'S STILL ALIVE!
SHE DRILLED THROUGH THAT GROUND AS IF IT WERE PAPER!
SHE'S TERRIFIC! THE PICTURE WILL BE THE GREATEST!
IF SHE LIVES!


IN THE FINAL SCENE FOR THE DAY---
I'M GOING TO BE IN THIS SPEEDBOAT TO GET A GOOD SHOT OF YOU AS YOU STAND ON THE BELL BUOY AND CATCH YOUR FIRST GLIMPSE OF THE INVADERS!
SHOULDN'T I DO SOMETHING TO STOP THEM?
SUDDENLY, A COWARDLY BLOW RENDERS THE AMAZON UNCONSCIOUS---
YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO, WONDER WOMAN! HA, HA!
SWIFTLY BINDING WONDER WOMAN WITH HER OWN LASSO TO THE BELLBUOY---
THIS NEXT "ACCIDENT" WILL FINISH THE AMAZON!
THEN NOTHING CAN STOP US FROM BRINGING THE STUFF ASHORE! BOSS— YOUR SCHEME IS A CUSTOM-MADE JOB!
HA, HA, HA!
CLANG! CLANG!
A FEW MOMENTS LATER---
OKAY! FIRE THAT SINGLE LIVE TORPEDO!
YEAH! THOSE DUMMY ONES ARE THE ONES WE'RE REALLY INTERESTED IN!
AS THE LOVELY AMAZON REGAINS CONSCIOUSNESS SHE LOOSENS HER BONDS---
SHADES OF PLUTO! IF THAT TORPEDO HITS THE BUOY IT WILL EXPLODE!
WITH A SPEED NO HUMAN EYE CAN PERCEIVE, WONDER WOMAN LEAPS ONTO THE DEADLY TORPEDO---
NO TIME TO STOP TO FREE MY SELF!
THIS EXPLODES ON CONTACT! I HAVE TO PREVENT IT FROM HITTING ANYTHING!
CAN THE MIGHTY AMAZON HALT THE MOMENTUM OF THE MASSIVE PROJECTILE?


WITH A POWERFUL KICK, WONDER WOMAN THRUSTS THE DEADLY MISSILE AWAY FROM THE BELLBUOY---
IT'S EVIDENT NOW FROM THE BLOW I RECEIVED IN THAT BOAT—THAT THE TANK FALLING OVER WASN'T AN "ACCIDENT"!
PROPELLING HERSELF TOWARD THE BOAT, THE FEARLESS AMAZON IS MET BY---
I'VE NEVER SEEN THEM BEFORE! WHY ARE THEY SO DESPERATE TO GET ME OUT OF THE WAY?
ZING!
BEEEOW!
ZING!
SUDDENLY---
DIVE—BEFORE SHE GETS US!
BUT WONDER WOMAN HALTS THE TORPEDO BY BRAKING WITH HER POWERFUL FEET, AND THEN---
I'LL DETACH THE WARHEAD FROM THE REMAINING TORPEDO TO RENDER IT HARMLESS—BEFORE I LASSO THE GANG!
BUT TO THE TIRELESS AMAZON'S AMAZEMENT---
DIAMONDS HIDDEN INSIDE THIS TORPEDO! IT MUST BE A DUMMY! NOW IT'S ALL CLEAR! THESE MEN MUST BE THE SMUGGLERS!
6
AN EYE-BLURRING CAST OF WONDER WOMAN'S TRUTH-COMPELLING LASSO VERIFIES HER DEDUCTION-
WE CONFESS—BY WORKING IN SEA PICTURES—WE WERE ABLE TO PICK UP SMUGGLED DIAMONDS FROM OUR BOAT—AND TRANSFER THEM ASHORE IN MOVIE EQUIPMENT!
END
I TOLD YOU CAPTURING THAT GANG WAS NO JOB FOR A WOMAN—AN ORDINARY WOMAN, I MEAN! IT TOOK WONDER WOMAN TO DO IT!
YES, STEVE!

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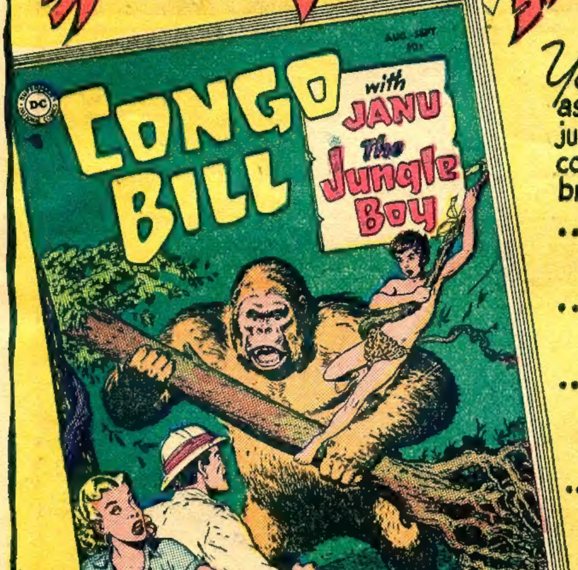
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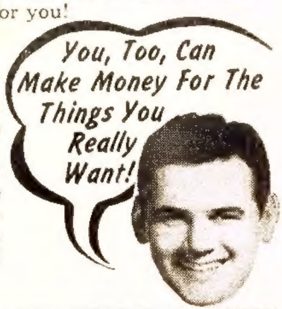
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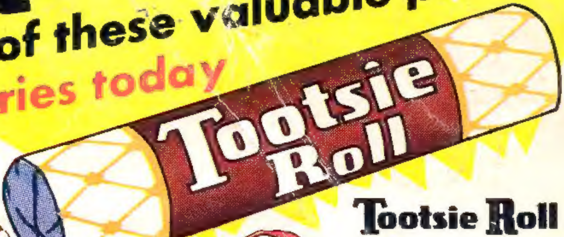

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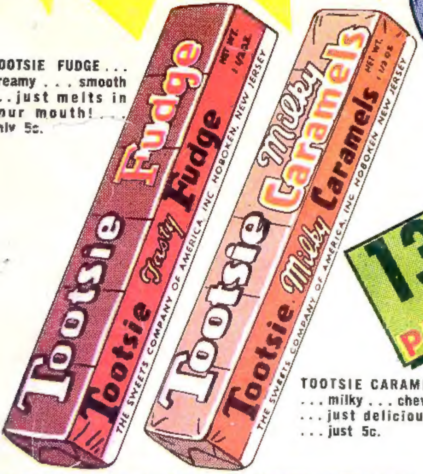
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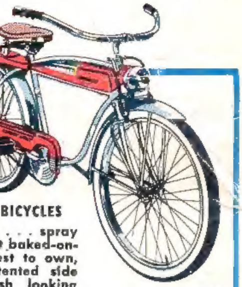

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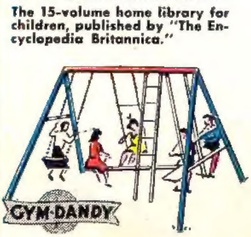

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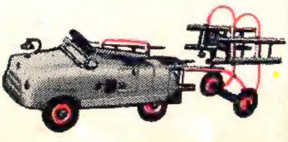

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